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TENNESSEE VOTE GIVES VICTORY AT LAST MINUTE

Kefauver Appears Dramatically on Rostrum To Back Ex-Opponent

CONVENTION HALL, Chicago, July 25 (AP)—Adlai E. Stevenson, the man who protested he didn't want it, rocketed early today to the Democratic presidential nomination.

On its third ballot, the party's 31st convention thrust



ADLAI E. STEVENSON

its banner to the 52-year-old Governor of Illinois in the climax to a rowdy, warring week of its factions.

It was done in dramatic fashion and with wild excitement.

At the end of the regular roll call of the States, Stevenson had 613 votes with 6154 needed to nominate.

Tennessee got recognition from Chairman Sam Rayburn and Sen. Estes Kefauver, who had been a

Stevenson in Pictures, Words

You'll find two pages of pictures—and stories about Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson, the Democratic nominee for President, on pages 8 and 9.

contender himself, came to the microphones to throw Tennessee's 28 votes to Stevenson and put the Illinois Governor over.

"WE HAVE nominated a very great man," Kefauver said. "We will do all we can to elect Stevenson as president of the United States."

Next, Sen. Richard B. Russell of Georgia, the third of the top contenders, stepped up to express his congratulations to "the great American who is the nominee of this convention."

And he promised: "In the days which are ahead I shall fall into the ranks, seeking victory in November."

Minnesota then moved to make the nomination unanimous and the convention roared its approval.

The hand struck up: "We're Loyal to You, Illinois!" Voting for Vice President will be delayed until 11 o'clock this morning (Pottstown time), convention officials announced.

KEFAUVER HAD sought to speak to the convention during the roll call, but convention officials told him it could not be interrupted.

Reports circulated among the delegates that Stevenson might choose between the two for a vice-presidential running mate.

There were also reports that the choice might be between Russell and Sen. John Sparkman of Alabama.

Kefauver had led Stevenson on two afternoon ballots and Russell, in third place, had trailed him closely.

But after a dinner recess, the whole complexion of the situation changed. The forces back of

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ON THE MAIN DRAG

JOHN KRAUSE

—explaining the merits of a car.

MRS. OLIVE RICHARD

—in a big hurry.

TONY VEACH

—trying to shake a cold.

MARIE GAUGLER and SHIRLEY ERB

—packing for their vacation.

GARY RUCKWALTER

—"holding up" the bridge.

JEAN NOEL

—waiting for the "big day."

JOHN MADEJA

—drinking a cool beverage.

JEAN TROUTMAN

—going shopping with a smile.

JOYCE HALL

—listening to a secret.

STANLEY LONG

—trying to stay cool.

Borough Demos Like Stevenson As Candidate

Pottstown Democrats like Adlai Stevenson, the party's candidate for the presidency.

They sat by their television sets until the small hours of the morning with coffee on hand and bulging eyes to witness the climax to the most hectic Democratic convention since Franklin D. Roosevelt was named to head the ticket in the same International Amphitheater, Chicago, 20 years ago.

Borough Democrats think the smiling, baldish governor of Illinois, who reluctantly allowed his name to be placed in nomination, will make a worthy candidate to oppose Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, GOP standard bearer named in the same convention floor two weeks ago.

Pottstown's Mr. Democrat, Dr. (Continued on Last Page)

This One's For Stevenson



The floor of the Democratic national convention in Chicago was jammed with cheering delegates waving signs and demonstrating after the ice jam broke and Illinois Gov. Adlai Stevenson was nominated for the presidency.

Dozing Trucker Barely Injured In \$600 Crash

A truck driver who fell asleep at the wheel escaped with minor injuries when the vehicle went out of control on Swamp Pike north of Route 422, Limerick, Somersaulted, and crashed into a tree yesterday at 5:45 p. m.

Harry J. Campbell, 62, of Phoenixville, was returning home from Allentown in a Weiland Meat Packing company truck, when he dozed off about 500 feet north of Route 422.

Heber Ziegler was standing under a button-wood tree in his back yard on Swamp pike when he saw the truck swerve into an adjoining wheat field, and skid towards his home.

As Ziegler ran to the garage, he saw the truck hit a small bank, flip over a five-foot hedge, land right side up in the back yard, and crash into the tree where he had been standing.

THE DRIVER was thrown out of the truck, and was lying on the ground when Ziegler returned. He was dazed, and muttered, "How did I get here?"

Campbell was treated by Dr. Ivan W. Hess, Limerick physician, for leg bruises and cuts around the ear.

Estimated damages of \$600 were incurred to the truck, including a crushed right side of the body, and (Continued on Last Page)

9 Playground Areas Register 1550 Children

The Pottstown playground season completed its sixth week of operation yesterday with an increase in registration of about 100 boys and girls.

Total registration now stands at 1550 at the nine recreation areas. Attendance for the week was 5000. The planned recreation activities are conducted by trained leaders.

Next Wednesday the children will take their favorite dolls to the playgrounds to vie in preliminaries to the grand doll show at Manatawny park playground on Friday.

Winners of the individual playground competitions will be eligible to compete in the grand show at Manatawny.

THE GALA event will follow a picnic which will start at noon at Manatawny and will be held in conjunction with several tournaments that day.

Leroy Heister proudly appeared at Manatawny park playground the past week with a water turtle he found. All the children enjoyed playing with it except Sandy Pollock who was afraid of its claws.

Adding to the fun there, Barbara Russo brought two little white mice in a large fishbowl to the play area. She said their names were Mickey and Minnie.

Peggy Missimer, Diane Varady, Dennis Pollock, Barry Pollock, Harvey Curry, Ronald Peck, Jerry Christman, Donna Kiefer and Nancy Lessig giggled as they watched the mice perform antics on a wire stretched across the top of the bowl.

Boys of ages 9 to 12 at Manatawny formed a baseball team which they have proudly dubbed the "Manatawny Midgets."

ON THE TEAM are Bill Schade, (Continued on Last Page)

3 Officials Join Staff At Memorial

Three new appointments to the staff of Memorial hospital were announced yesterday by Albert F. Pollock, administrator.

Mrs. Virginia J. Harris will be come directress of nurses; Miss Joan A. Rodrock will become operating room supervisor, effective Aug. 4; and Mrs. Catharine R. Fertig will assume the position of dietitian on Monday.

Mrs. Harris resigned as assistant directress of nurses at Pottstown hospital to accept the post at Memorial hospital vacated by Mrs. Betty Homan.

A native of Wilmington, Del., Mrs. Harris graduated from the Delaware Hospital school of nursing in 1945, and received a bachelor of arts degree in psychology from the University of Delaware in 1949.

WHILE ATTENDING the university she was relief head nurse at the Delaware State Hospital. She was head nurse of obstetrics at Wilmington General hospital, and served as a nurse at Doris Memorial Hospital, Wilmington.

She came to Pottstown hospital in January, 1951, from the Gov. Bacon Health center, Delaware County, where she had served as psychology instructor and assistant to a directress of nurses.

Pollock chose Mrs. Harris from (Continued on Last Page)

This Is the Life!



Maurice G. Himes, 65, of 1134 Queen street, shows how he intends relaxing now that he has retired after 34 years and eight months as an employee of the Spicer Manufacturing division of the Dana corporation. Himes' retirement started at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon when the method engineer finished his last day of work at the plant. The monkey he is petting is Maggie, a gift to him and his wife from their four sons and daughters the past Christmas.

There's No Halting A Boy With a Yen—He'll Try Anything

When a boy gets a yen to neighbors and therefore was not alarmed.

IT WAS in mid-afternoon that she became worried over Kenneth's absence and together with another brother, Charles 12, began to ransack the neighborhood for the missing youngster.

The parents both came home from work a little after 5 p. m. and instituted another futile search after which they called the local police for aid.

A little after 7 p. m., some neighbors who were helping look for the boy, spotted the tired lad walking through the woods headed homeward. They didn't waste any time in taking Kenneth to his worried family.

"He didn't have a cent on him and was hungry and tired after walking and running at least 15 miles to Morgantown and back again," said Mrs. Stroop with happy irritation at having her son back safe and sound.

THE EFFECTS of the long hike showed themselves on the boy because he did not waste any time in downing a big supper and curling up to sleep on the living room sofa.

"Guess we'll have to take him down to Virginia again soon to keep him happy," his mother said after telling that the family had (Continued on Last Page)

Spicer Workers Start Furlough

Two thousand production employees of the Spicer Division of the Dana corporation begin a two-week furlough at 7 o'clock this morning.

The plant is being closed because of a shortage of forgings caused by the recently-ended steel strike. Production is scheduled to resume on August 11.

Morris R. Gavin, plant manager, said the furlough might have to be extended.

"We haven't been able to get any information from the steel mills on what their plans are," he declared, "so it's hard to tell when operations are going to get back to normal. Circumstances can change daily."

Gavin said a small group of clerical workers will be on duty during the two-week layoff.

2 Spicer Employees Ready For a Taste of Retired Life

Two Pottstown men with nearly 35 years of service at the Spicer Manufacturing division of the Dana corporation, South Keim street, are ready to call it quits.

The two are ready to dispute the virtues of retired life.

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Maurice G. Himes, 65, of 1134 Queen street, had planned to stay at the plant "only one year" when he began working there Nov. 19, 1921, but last night asserted: "I got such wonderful treatment from the Spicer Manufacturing company I decided to stay."

Now, 30 years and eight months later, the 65-year-old method engineer and Pottstown native, looks forward to comfortable relaxation.

"I haven't planned anything (to do in his retirement) now," he said. "As things turn up I'll go on." He does not want to plan to do something, then he is disappointed by not being able to carry out his plans.

Married 46 years the past July 4 and the father of four sons and four daughters, all married, Himes originally was employed by Spicer as a toolmaker, but was promoted to first worked for him. I've been a foreman for the last 40 years. In 1925 he was made night shift superintendent, then assistant superintendent, then assistant (Continued on Last Page)

Bethlehem Steel Workers Still Await Return

The longest steel strike in the Nation's history was ended officially last night by the United Steel Workers' policy committee, but employees of Bethlehem Steel's Pottstown plant and the rest of the 650,000 strikers were not returned to work by the union.

H. G. Neyesch, assistant manager of the local plant, said he understood "management and union still are arguing over something," though the policy committee ratified an agreement reached at the White House Thursday afternoon.

That agreement stated that "upon ratification of this memorandum by the union's international wage-policy committee the strike will end."

CIO President Philip Murray, Benjamin Fairless, chairman of US Steel, and top executives of five other major producers signed the agreement.

Murray reportedly was delaying his back-to-work orders until all details could be worked out involving a companion strike of 23,000 ore workers, also members of the union.

Though the White House agreement applied to these workers as well as the basic steel workers, only one ore concern wholly owned by US Steel signed it.

Hospitalized



DR. DAVID D. DETAR

Dr. David Detar Stricken While Visiting Canada

Dr. David D. Detar, 54-year-old borough physician is "very much improved" in Notre Dame hospital, Montreal, Canada, after suffering a cerebral hemorrhage in that city Tuesday while vacationing with his wife and daughter, Emma Jeanne.

Dr. Jack R. Wennersten, 255 Prospect street, an associate of Dr. Detar, identified the illness. He said he had been contacted by Mrs. Detar after her husband was stricken.

Dr. Detar's son, David D. Jr., reported on his father's condition and said the family left their Rectelsville RD 1 home Sunday by automobile for a week's stay in Canada.

Young Detar also said no appointments will be made for the doctor, nor will he be in his office at Charlotte and East streets, until further notice.

Dr. Detar has been practicing in Pottstown approximately 17 years, a relative said.

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Still Cheerful



—Mercury Staff Photo

Three-and-a-half-year-old Stevie Cohen smiles weakly in bed at his home in Spring City RD 1. The boy underwent an operation to have a cancer growth removed from his kidneys early this month but the diagnosis of a staff of physicians said that his case is incurable and that he has only two or three months to live. When the bottom photo was taken the past April, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cohen, did not know that their son had cancer.

Boy Smiles, Unaware Of Incurable Illness

By CHARLES T. HEARN (Mercury Staff Writer)

Unaware that he has only two or three months to live, 3½-year-old Stevie Cohen whispered softly with a weak smile, "I'm better now."

Stevie has an incurable cancer in his kidneys. His golden blond hair tousled, he lies in bed most of the day at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cohen, of Chester Springs RD 1.

The Cohens had no idea that their little boy was ill until July 5 when they took him to Dr. Lola Reed, Phoenixville physician, for a check-up.

Dr. Reed told the parents to take the boy to Phoenixville hospital to be X-rayed on July 8 and the next day he was admitted to the Children's hospital in Philadelphia.

On July 10, Dr. C. Everett Koop, surgeon at the hospital, operated on the boy's kidneys to remove a cancer growth.

Everything was done to help the boy but at a consultation of the attending physicians it was decided that the disease was (Continued on Last Page)

As the adage says, however, all good things must come to an end. That includes good weather. The weatherman said last night that the area will be cloudy and warmer today at least, but tomorrow will not be as hot.

He added that today's high will be 85 to 94 and scattered afternoon thunderstorms are likely. The showers also are a possibility for Sunday.

Hit-Run Hearing Set for Driver

A Bally map was released under \$200 bail Thursday pending a hearing Wednesday before East Greenville Justice of the Peace Warren S. Kreider on a charge of failing to stop at the scene of an accident and identify himself.

Jacob S. Fox was arrested at his place of employment, the Bally Ribbon Mill company, on Thursday afternoon on a John Doe warrant accusing him of striking the parked car of Parvin Hasker, 207 Main street, Pennsylvania.

Hasker's 1930 sedan was parked in front of his home early Monday morning when it was struck.

Jeffersonville State police who investigated the accident estimated the damage to the car amounted to \$80.

FOX REPORTED to arresting officers, Corp. Donald C. Bearcraft and Private Robert E. Mulligan of the Jeffersonville State police on Thursday, that he read the estimate of damages he inflicted on Hasker's car in Monday's issue of The Mercury.

He said that he clipped the news-story of the accident and paid \$85 cash to Hasker who gave Fox a written receipt.

Fox said that the receipt was signed by both Hasker and his wife, Ruth.

84 Mercury 62 Antics

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

| Time | Temp | Time | Temp |
|----------|------|----------|------|
| 4 a. m. | 54 | 4 p. m. | 84 |
| 5 a. m. | 53 | 5 p. m. | 83 |
| 6 a. m. | 53 | 6 p. m. | 84 |
| 7 a. m. | 52 | 7 p. m. | 84 |
| 8 a. m. | 52 | 8 p. m. | 84 |
| 9 a. m. | 50 | 9 p. m. | 80 |
| 10 a. m. | 74 | 10 p. m. | 72 |
| 11 a. m. | 77 | 11 p. m. | 70 |
| 12 m. | 80 | 12 p. m. | 70 |
| 1 p. m. | 81 | 1 p. m. | 70 |
| 2 p. m. | 82 | 2 p. m. | 70 |
| 3 p. m. | 83 | 3 p. m. | 70 |

State Grassland Field Day Rates as Best of Its Kind

Forage crop research work that Central Pennsylvania Grassland Field Day Aug. 20 on the Pennsylvania State college farms at State College, says County Agent, R. G. Waltz.

Season Has Arrived For Making of Jelly

With blackberries, raspberries, gooseberries, and currants in abundance, both in the garden and on the market, you naturally think of making jelly, says Mrs. Della Short, home economics extension representative, Montgomery county.

Currants, blackberries, and gooseberries are natural for jelly since they have the right balance of pectin and acid needed to make good jelly. Pectin and acid are essential for good jelly.

Underripe fruit contains the most pectin and acid, while ripe fruit has the best flavor and color. Combining the two gives the best results. Some fruits, like red and black raspberries, lack pectin, so a combination of fruit juices (perhaps apple or currant), or a commercial pectin, may be needed.

Mrs. Short advises you to work with small amounts of fruit at a time.

Ambitious Gardener Will Keep Supply Of Plants Growing

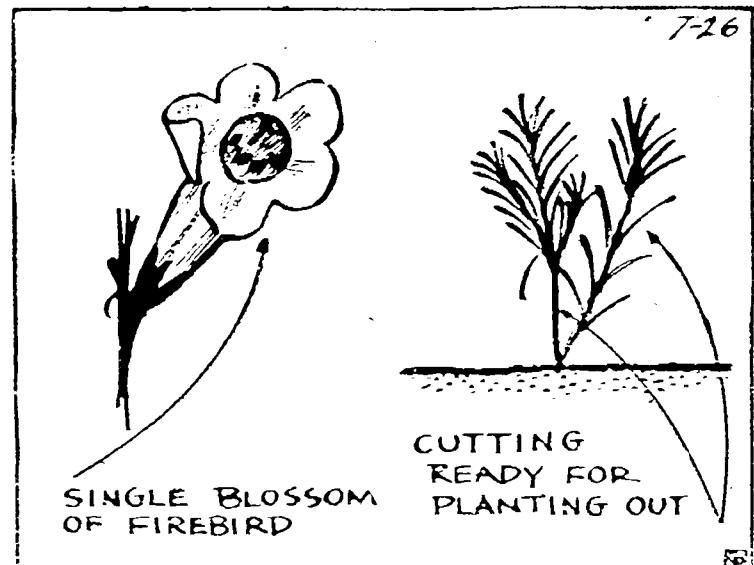
The foresighted gardener tries to keep some extra plants coming along, especially those of a choice variety.

The hybrid pentstemons, a feature of many garden beds and borders in late Summer, can easily be increased by cuttings taken in August, and they will come true to color.

Garnet is the first of a new strain of hardy, large-flowered pentstemons. Heretofore, the only large-flowered hybrid pentstemons available were the gloxinoids, which are not hardy in the north.

Pentstemon Garnet is of spreading habit and produces a succession of bloom from June until stopped by frost. Its gloxinia-like flowers are a rich garnet color. They grow on stems 12 to 18 inches tall. The plants have from six to a dozen spikes continually throughout the flowering season.

Graph for Gardeners



The flowers are excellent for cutting and last a week or more in water. SHOWN IN the accompanying Garden Graph is a single blossom of pentstemon Firebird. This beauty comes from Switzerland. The flowers are foxglove-like in size, on stems 18 to 24 inches tall, and are beautiful ruby-crimson.

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diet was supplied by fruits and vegetables. They also furnish about a fifth of the iron and thiamine, nearly a fifth of the niacin, and about an eighth of the calcium and riboflavin.

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Boyertown News

Bride-to-Be Honored At Shower Held by Friends in Earlville

A bridal shower was held in honor of Carolyn Funk recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne C. Kuser, Earlville.

Mrs. Funk, daughter of Mrs. Stella Funk, 129 East Main street, Muncie, Ind., will become the bride of William Schaeffer, son of Oscar D. Schaeffer, Boyertown RD 2.

Gifts were placed under yellow and green streamers flowing from a white decorated sprinkling can.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Funk and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Funk and children, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Funk and children, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Wezel and children, Mrs. Stella Funk, Sandra Chatten, Patsy Higgins, Marian Fritz, Ardie Fritz, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richard and daughter.

Also Mr. and Mrs. William Willman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nester and daughter, Dorothy Nester, Mabury Dierolf, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucarelli and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ackerman, Mrs. Dorothy Boyer, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nester and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Schenely, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kuser and children, Mrs. Mabel Koch, Florence Kutz and the hostess, Miss Margaret Schaeffer.

Those sending gifts but unable to attend were Mrs. Annie Spohn and Mrs. Purnell Renninger.

Inter-Post Meeting To Be At New Legion

The Berks County Inter-Post association will hold its monthly meeting in the new American Legion home, South Reading avenue, Boyertown, on Monday night at 8 o'clock with Commander Ralph C. Horn, presiding.

The guest speaker will be Guider G. Yoder, 26 West Sixth street, Boyertown, veteran high school teacher.

Arthur G. Magners will also show a motion picture "To Tokyo and Back" as well as a number of actual combat pictures on his tour of duty in Korea.

Horn has invited everyone to attend.

JOLSON LEFT HUGE ESTATE

NEW YORK, July 25 (AP)—Al Jolson left an estate of \$4,044,147 when he died Oct. 23, 1950, according to an accounting filed in Surrogate's court today.

Boyertown Classified

Deaths

DIPOLO—In Reading, on Thursday, July 24, 1952, Katie W. (Anastasi) wife of Henry N. Dipolo, 654 RD 1, age 59 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schenck Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia ave., Boyertown, on Monday at 2 p. m. interment in Elm Chateau cemetery. Friends may call on Sunday evening 7 to 9.

HAWK—In West Palm Beach, Fla., on Friday, July 11, 1952, Elizabeth L. (Goss) widow of Dr. Benjamin L. Hawk, age 74 years. Relatives and friends are invited to memorial services on Saturday at 4 p. m. in the Linwood W. Ott Funeral Home, 111 N. Reading ave., Boyertown, Pa. Burial in the cemetery. Friends may call on Friday evening 7 to 9.

GRABER—In Boyertown on Wednesday, July 23, 1952, William, husband of Emma (Eisel) Graber, 30 W. State st., age 74 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Linwood W. Ott Funeral Home, 111 N. Reading ave., Boyertown, on Saturday at 2:30 p. m. interment in the cemetery. Friends may call on Friday evening 7 to 9.



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59-Year Veteran Al Casket Company Decides to Retire

William B. Gottshall, 27 West Fifth street, Boyertown, a veteran of more than 33 years of service employed by the Boyertown Burial Casket company, yesterday morning decided to retire from his job.

Gottshall, 73, stated yesterday that he started with the company when it was in its infancy. His first job was running errands about the community.

He was then employed in the wood working department operating a shaping machine until 1907 when a trolley car accident caused him to lose a foot and which kept him out of work for approximately one year.

Returning to work again in 1908 but unable to operate a shaper, he was placed at a hand saw which he operated until his retirement yesterday.

Gottshall started working for the company on June 8, 1893, giving him 59 years, one and one-half months of employment there.

His plans are now to collect his social security benefits and just take life easy.

BOYERTOWN CHURCH DIRECTORY

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran, Rev. David F. Longacre, pastor, 1000 Morris st., 9 a. m. Bible school, 10:10 a. m. morning worship, 10:15 a. m. service—Beyond the Line of Duty, 10:15 a. m. Church nursery hour, Mrs. Paul Maurer—Academy, Donald Holmwood.

Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, the Rev. Harper L. Schneek, pastor, 1000 Morris st., 9 a. m. morning worship, 10:10 a. m. evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. P. M. service, Pleasantville, 10:15 a. m. Fellowship supper, 7:30 p. m. G. M. service, Monday, 7 p. m. G. M. service, Tuesday, 7 p. m. G. M. service, Friday, 8 p. m. Senior choir.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. H. L. Carmichael, pastor, 1000 Morris st., 9 a. m. Sunday school, 10:10 a. m. morning worship, 10:15 a. m. evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. P. M. service, Pleasantville, 10:15 a. m. Fellowship supper, 7:30 p. m. G. M. service, Monday, 7 p. m. G. M. service, Tuesday, 7 p. m. G. M. service, Friday, 8 p. m. Senior choir.

Boyertown Mennonite, Henry Paul Yoder, pastor, 1000 Morris st., 9 a. m. Sunday school, 10:10 a. m. service.

St. Columbian's Catholic, the Rev. B. H. Creamer, pastor, 1000 Morris st., 8 a. m. Mass at State Theater.

Gospel hall, East Fifth street, 10:10 a. m. Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. morning worship, 10:15 a. m. evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. P. M. service, Pleasantville, 10:15 a. m. Fellowship supper, 7:30 p. m. G. M. service, Monday, 7 p. m. G. M. service, Tuesday, 7 p. m. G. M. service, Friday, 8 p. m. Senior choir.

Assembly of God, East Philadelphia avenue, 1000 Morris st., 9 a. m. Sunday school, 10:10 a. m. morning worship, 10:15 a. m. evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. P. M. service, Pleasantville, 10:15 a. m. Fellowship supper, 7:30 p. m. G. M. service, Monday, 7 p. m. G. M. service, Tuesday, 7 p. m. G. M. service, Friday, 8 p. m. Senior choir.

Mest Family Reunion To Be Held Tomorrow

The 25th annual reunion of the Mest family will be held tomorrow at the Earl Township fire company hall in Shanesville.

Conducting the reunion there will revive memories of the Mest clan since the land on which the fire company hall is built belonged to Joseph Mest in 1827, an ancestor of the family.

LEAVING FOR CAMP

Members and leaders of Boyertown Boy Scout Troop 1 are leaving today to spend a week at Camp Shickellamy, near Hamburg.

The troop will be a part of approximately 150 members and representatives attending the camp from Penn's Pioneer district.

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The roster of drivers for the Harold Roth, (Henry Bauer), 6 p. m. Clarence Gabel, (Kenneth Spohn).

Thursday, 12:01 a. m. Harold Endy, (Paul Webster); 6 a. m. Charles Heckman, (Chester White); 12:01 p. m. Raymond Endy, (Ard Barr); 6 p. m. Henry Muler, (Raymond Endy).

FRIDAY 12:01 a. m. Howard Reinert, (John Bortz); 6 a. m. Wallace, (David Stevens); 12:01 p. m. the Rev. Harper L. Schneek, (Ernest L. Frey); 6 p. m. Lewis Mecherly, (Clarence Gabel).

Saturday, 12:01 a. m. Russell Wallace, (David Stevens); 6 a. m. Ralph C. Horn, (Chester White); 12:01 p. m. Daniel Clauser, (Howard Reinert); 6 p. m. John Bortz, (Ralph C. Horn); Sunday 12:01 a. m. Henry Bauer, 12:01 p. m. Kenneth Spohn.

This roster is furnished for the benefit of the drivers so as to remind them of their obligation.

Stevenson Rejects Truman's Invitation

CHICAGO, July 25 (AP)—Gov. Adlai Stevenson had an invitation to attend a dinner for President Truman tonight but did not go.

The President and other Democratic leaders were dining at the Stockyard inn, next door to the Democratic National convention.

William Flanagan, the Governor's press secretary, said Stevenson received an invitation from Frank McInnes, Democratic national chairman.

Flanagan said the Governor would not make the trip from his temporary residence here to the inn, which is eight miles away.

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A Red Cross first aid course is being given in the Sunday school room of the Methodist church, which began on July 16, at 7:30 p. m. This is a two hour course each Wednesday evening for 11 weeks. Anyone who is interested may contact Mrs. L. N. Taylor or Mrs. P. W. Bare both of Glen Moore. The instructor is Dr. Leonard D. Frescoln, Philadelphia, who has given this course to a large number of persons in the last few years.

The Fairview Teen Age club will hold its annual lawn fete on the church lawn, Aug. 2. Refreshments will be sold by the club.

The men of Fairview are preparing for their annual steak supper which will be held on Saturday evening, Sept. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gibson of the Goodwill Methodist church are attending camp meeting at Chester Heights.

Mrs. Andrew Williams of Schenectady, N. Y., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snyder.

DOUGLASSVILLE

Clive E. Care, corr. Phone Ruidshoro 2-5716, Frank Wunderlich, del. Phone Ruidshoro 2-4443.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kline have returned from Phoenix, Ariz., where Mr. Kline was stationed with the U. S. Army. Mrs. Kline is the former Janice Harmut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harmut.

Wendy Eckenrodt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Eckenrodt, recently observed her fourth birthday anniversary.

Barney Care, Jake Harmut, Frank Harmut, Wallace Kuser and Peter Kuser have just returned from a fishing trip to Ocean City, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Saul, Mr. and Mrs. William McCrudden, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Care and children, Gloria and Ronald; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reightmeyer and children, Larry and Joanne; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Eckenrodt and children, Wendy and Donna Lynn; Mr. Harold Garner and Mrs. Viola Stuart and son, Howard, held a reunion in Hopewell park.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reightmeyer and children, Larry and Joanne, are taking a three-day trip through New York, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

The Mary Duhamel club met at the home of Mrs. Betty Spohn. The following were present: Mrs. Robert Reightmeyer, Mrs. Wilbert Eckenrodt, Mrs. Raymond Elliott, Mrs. George Cook and Mrs. Mary Herber.

Marilyn Klein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Klein, is vacationing in Virginia Beach Va.

John Klein, John Marsteller and Ray Breitenstine had a successful fishing trip to Rock Hall, Md. where they caught 27 rock fish weighing from one to one and a half pounds apiece.

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Anti-U. S. Riots Rock Iranian Capital

Soldiers attempt to quell one of the many serious disturbances that have broken out in Teheran, Iran, since the resignation of former Premier Ahmad Ghassem, who escaped the country as his life was threatened. Mobs of 20,000 and more, whipped up by Communist and Nationalist propaganda, have been voicing anti-American sentiments. A U. S. officer was beaten and an economic aid office stoned.

Grand Jury Refuses To Indict Ousted DA

TOPEKA, Kas., July 25 (AP)—A special Federal grand jury investigating ousted U. S. District Attorney Lester Luther of Kansas today found there was insufficient evidence against him to warrant an indictment.

The jury made a similar finding in the case of Nicholas Lopez, who was one of Luther's assistants before joining the Justice Department's criminal division from which he resigned last May 9.

Luther was ousted June 19 by President Truman at the request of U. S. Atty. Gen. James P. McGranery.

The jury, which reported "no bills" in the case of both Luther and Lopez, had been called at McGranery's request.

McGranery had said he wanted the jury to consider evidence Luther shared in fees paid to Lopez for representing the Dolbe company, Toledo, Ohio, in a tax case.

Prohibition Gets Shot In Its Financial Arm

ST. LOUIS, July 25 (AP)—Prohibition got a shot in the financial arm today.

A Circuit court ruling held that a \$280,000 trust created in the will of Dr. Francis L. Stuever after he died in 1928 in Vienna must be used to further the cause of prohibition in Germany, Austria and the United States.

St. Louis university had claimed the trust fund as the residuary legatee of Miss Celia Stuever, daughter of Dr. Stuever who received the principal portion of her father's estate. It was provided that the trust must be established upon her death which came in 1943.

Pottstown RD 1 Man Faces Hit-Run Charge

Andrew L. Hansley, 21, of Pottstown RD 1, will be given a hearing before North Coventry Justice of the Peace Ralph W. Ralston at 10 o'clock this morning on a hit-and-run charge resulting from two accidents on Route 53 in North Coventry the past Friday night in which his automobile was involved.

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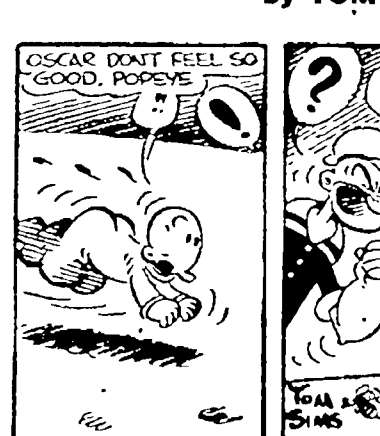
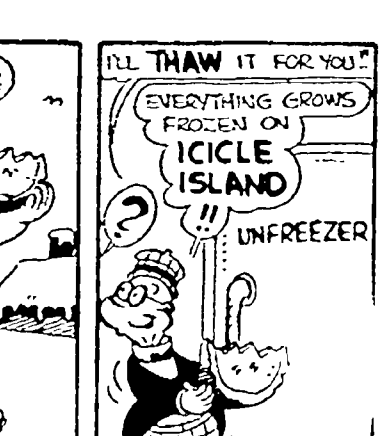


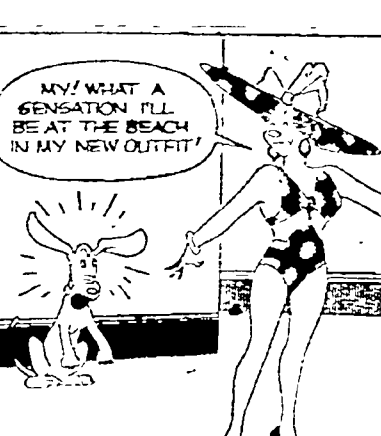

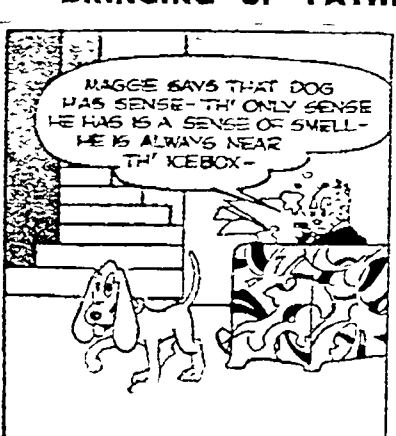
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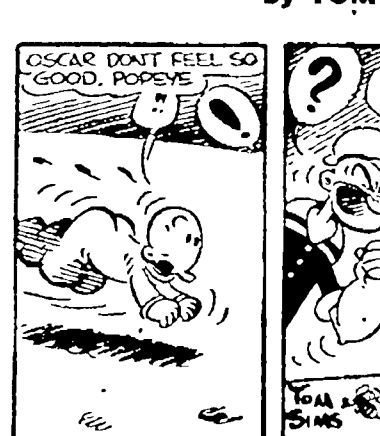
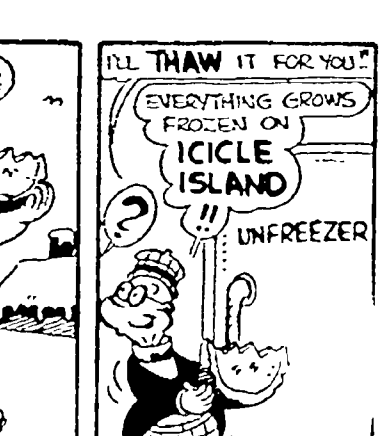

BRINGING UP FATHER

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Flagg Sets Run Mark

Legion Jrs. Win in Finale, 2-0

You had to have all your wits about you to last through last night's City-Industrial hooked up in another tight hurling duel last league tiff at Franklin field. Flagg's big gun was night, with Mike the winner for the second time by exploding all over the place and blasted St. Johns a shutout, as the Pottstown Legion Juniors earned for a 2-0 decision that had everybody pretty well Norristown, 2-0, at the foe's Elmwood park layout, shell-shocked after its five inning duration.

The Flagg men's cavorting in the space of those blazing two-hitter going two better than his four-hitter fewer frames erased the previous offensive mark of showing in nine frames the last time that he and Heist collided. Pottstown won that one, 1-0, on Merrill Renninger's ninth inning triple and Gil Nace's bunt single.

Last night, Renninger was nowhere near the starting lineup, but it wound up that he wasn't needed, for the Amoles bunched their hits neatly to shove over a count in the sixth and took advantage of an error to come across with their first tally in the third.

In the third, Merrill Shirey doubled to right and came on around when the Norris third sacker bobbled Carl Horner's roller and then threw over first. Doubles by Bob Quinn and Dave Ricketts closed out the scoring in the sixth.

Incidentally, Pottstown still hasn't found the formula to flatten the average speed Heist, who flaunts control in the face of batters much in the same fashion as Souderton's Ferril Alderfer, another not so particularly fast individual. Heist didn't walk anyone and whiffed three.

The local nine reached his for only five hits in the seven inning tiff. However, all but Leo Hallman's were for extra sacks. In addition to Ricketts, Quinn, and Shirey lefty Dave Reidenouer waxed a fifth-frame two-base shot that went for naught.

Mike's control was almost as accurate as his adversary's. He walked only one, while blowing down 10 in racking up his sixth win of the year. Last night's fans brought his season's total to 75.

The top figure on the staff, as against 22 free passes. Norristown didn't get to Mike for a hit until the third frame, and then he was tagged for another in the fourth. Before and after those two innings, there was no thunder in the hosts' sticks.

The victory brought to a close a successful season for Ruck Rhoads and his minions despite the fact that the Amole nine missed a county championship for the first time in three seasons.

They held down second place and racked up a win over the pennant-winner in a year that nobody expected to bring such extensive rewards as had been the case in the past.

Pottstown's overall log for the year turned out to be 13-1, as compared to 10-4 for the regular Monico circuit season. The extra-curricular loss coming from St. Gabriels and the tie from the Montgomery Elks, unbeaten league-leaders in the City-Industrial league.

Perks, Palm Lead League

Perkiomen Heights and Palm racked up two wins apiece over the past week of play in the Perkiomen softball circuit to keep the pace over East Greenville and Morryville.

Both the Perks and Palm bounced the Greenies during the week, while Perk also beat Boyertown, and Palm socked Morryville.

EG now trails the co-leaders by a full game with Morryville a half-length in the rear of the third-place team.

Landis Store's 21-4 win over Holy Name kept them within long-shot range of a playoff berth, as the Cardinals trail fourth-place Morryville by three and a half lengths.

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Garrison Elected Publinx President

HERSHEY, July 25 (AP)—Arthur Garrison, Hershey, tonight was elected president of the Pennsylvania Public Golfers association.

Garrison, former vice president, succeeds Edward C. Nitz Jr., Philadelphia, who resigned.

Other officers elected were Dave Wilder, Pittsburgh, first vice president; Robert Schoener Jr., Bethlehem, second vice president; and R. S. Clarke, Bethlehem, secretary-treasurer.

Under Olympic rules, each country is permitted to enter seven men in the competition and more than one may compete in the various weight classifications.

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CROWNING ACHIEVEMENT - By Alan Mayer



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Mathias Leads Decathlon

HELSINKI, July 25 (AP)—Defending champion Bob Mathias and two other versatile Americans led the field today at the half-way mark in the two day decathlon contest which decides the best all-around athlete of the Olympic Games.

Mathias, star Stanford football fullback from Tulare, Calif., who won the 1948 Olympic decathlon at the age of 17, was far out in front after the first five events with a 4557 point total which left him a good chance to break his own world record tomorrow.

Milton Campbell, 18-year-old high school boy from Plainfield, N. J., was second with 4111 points and Floyd Simmons of Los Angeles was third with 3924.

Behind the three Americans came Ignace Heinrich, France, fourth with 3835 points, Goran Widenfelt, Sweden, fifth with 3740, and Kjell Tannander, Sweden, sixth with 2888.

It looked at this stage as though no one could catch Mathias in tomorrow's final five events.

The husky Stanford student raced, jumped and heaved through a gruelling nine-hour test of speed, strength and endurance at a pace which no other athlete has ever equalled.

And some of his best events are yet to come.

Mathias began his busy day at 10 a. m. with the best clocking in the 100 meter sprint 10.9 seconds. Then he broadjumped 6.98 meters (22 feet 10.8 inches) before lunch, finishing sixth in this event.

In the afternoon, he put the shot 13.30 meters (50 feet 2.7 inches) to top the entire decathlon field. He high jumped 1.99 meters (6 feet 2.8 inches), which was third best among the competitors and the highest he ever leaped.

Then, at 8:30 p. m., tired from more than eight hours of competition and chilled by a cold wind, Mathias ran 400 meters in the classic time of 30.2 seconds, which no one of his competitors could even approach.

Mathias still was 27 points behind his first day's pace of the Olympic tryouts when he established his world record of 7321 points for all ten events. But that difference could be made up in tomorrow if he gets favorable weather.

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Olympic Games Roundup

Ashenfelter Winner

HELSINKI, July 25 (AP)—Horace Ashenfelter won the 3000 meter steeplechase today for the most unexpected and spectacular victory the United States has secured in the thrills-packed, record-busting Olympic Games.

The 29-year-old special agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation from Penn State did it by running the heart out of Vladimir Kazantsev of Russia on the last lap.

Ashenfelter was followed on the victory platform and on the Olympic record breaking list by Jamaica's George Rhoden, a student at Morgan State college in Baltimore.

Ashenfelter's time of 8:43.4 was the fastest the steeplechase has ever been run. Rhoden won the 400 meter run from his teammate, Herb McKenley, in 45.9 seconds.

Shm, pretty Marjorie Jackson and Germany and Switzerland tied for Australia ran the women's 200 for fifth with 38.

Never have track and field records been treated with such disdain. In all, 21 Olympic records have been exceeded and five world records lowered by the men and the girls.

Play started in the basketball round robin with the United States topping Hungary 66-18. Other scores included: Argentina 45, Philippines 39, Uruguay 33, Czechoslovakia 31, Russia 74, Bulgaria 25, Mexico 66, Finland 48.

A U. S. Army master sergeant, Huelter Banner, won the pistol shooting gold medal with a score of 535 out of a possible 600. Russia's Ivan Udoov won the bantamweight weightlifting championship, and Hungary won the team championship in the modern pentathlon in which Lars Hall of Sweden was the individual winner.

ASHENFELTER'S big gold medal made it 12 for the U.S.A. in track and field in these games. That matches the best America has done since the program was stabilized in 1920. Six events remain to be contested, and the United States could win two or even three of these.

Ashenfelter was the rankest kind of outsider in this field of fast stepping Europeans. An American hasn't won an Olympic distance race since 1908, and no one thought the slender Ashenfelter could do it.

But when he won his steeplechase heat in 8:51 his stock began to rise. This bettered the old easy victories today in the opening Olympic mark of 9:05.8 set by Finland's great Volmari Iso-Hollo back in 1936.

Ashenfelter has only run the race a half dozen times, but he decided after he got here he might score if he concentrated on it. So he scratched in the 10,000 meters unclassified team from Hungary in which he also made the team, while the Soviet five was all and concentrated on learning how to take the water jump.

This is the worst hazard of all on the course. It consists of a fence about three feet high, with a sloping face, on the other side of which is a shallow pool of water some ten feet across.

Most runners scramble up the fence painfully and splash into the water. But Ashenfelter learned to take it almost as a hurdle, vaulting lightly from the fence to dry ground and speeding on his way.

Ashenfelter and Kazantsev came to the lap water jump shoulder to shoulder but the American shot over it while the Russian faltered. In the space of a few seconds Ashenfelter was out in front by five meters, and the Russian gave up. That was the whole story.

In other results, Uruguay edged past Czechoslovakia in an overtime game, 55-51. Mexico topped Finland 66-48; Argentina stopped the Philippines 65-59; Brazil nosed out Canada, 57-55 in the last five seconds; Chile nipped Cuba, 55-52; and France ran up the highest point total of the day in whumping Egypt, 92-64.

Tribe Meets TM

The driving Manitowish Indians will battle City Softball loop cellar-dwellers Thomas Motors on the Hill school far fields at 2 p. m. tomorrow.

Bill Hofheing requests that all members be present at 1:30.

USWA 2326 Drills

The USWA 2326 Juniors will practice tomorrow afternoon at 2 p. m. at Memorial park.

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- AT THE PALACE -

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I FIND THEM MOST INTERESTING, OODENO! THE ORIGINAL DARK HAIRD ONE - AND NOW A

KNOCK!

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THE PLATE WITH A
COMPASS!

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IS WRONG!!-
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LET HIM PULL IT FOR A WHILE. HE'LL NOT GET TOO FAST A PACE.

I'M GLAD YOU DIDN'T LET DAD KNOW WE'RE COMING.

THAT WAY WE DON'T HAVE TO HURRY.

AW, THAT'S FOOLISH! COME ON! COME ON!

THE LONE RANGER

HELP!

E-E-E-EK! HELP-HELP!

WHAT HAPPEN?

HELP, HELP HE'LL MURDER ME!

CHARLES FULTON

THE LONE RANGER

[illegible]

FELIX THE CAT

SICK CHILD —

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too far advanced in the boy to be cured.

Stevie was strong enough to be sent home the past Monday after 12 days confinement in bed at the Children's hospital. He wanted to go home where he could play with his miniature trucks, his balloons and his little red fire engine.

HOWEVER, THE beginning of this week he could barely move about in bed and hardly had the strength to lift any of his small toys.

When he spoke it was little more than a whisper.

By Thursday he was well enough to get out of bed and try to ride his bright-red fire engine which had begun to gather dust where it was stored away. After a few minutes in the little car, his mother, once a registered nurse in Philadelphia, had to put him back in bed to rest.

Yesterday, he began "to act more like himself." Mrs. Cohen said.

"He plays with his balloons and little trucks and he can talk a lot better," she added.

"I like it home," Stevie said, as though to explain why he was improving.

"He's much brighter today," Mrs. Cohen continued, and you could detect a slight twinkle in the blue eyes of the blond-haired lad. But the rosy color of a healthy boy was lacking from his cheeks and his once chubby arms had lost their fullness.

"I GUESS he won't be 'helping' Daddy on the tractor anymore, like he used to," she went on. "He used to sit up on top of the tractor and get a thrill out of steering it."

Cohen is a farmer and he conducts an egg route in Philadelphia when he is not busy in the fields on his 65-acre farm.

Mrs. Cohen said, "We intend to go on living as we have been. My boy will probably be able to move about like a normal lad in a few days and he will be doing most of the things he used to for a while."

"When his time comes," she went on softly, "he will probably be sick for just a short while and it will be all over."

The Cohens have another child—a 3-month-old daughter, Judy.

A jolly baby with a wide grin, she kicks gleefully when anyone goes near her carriage.

"Stevie was just like that when he was her age," Mrs. Cohen sighed as though she were thinking out loud.

STEVIE IS being attended regularly by the family physician, Dr. Reed, and he is receiving the constant care of an affectionate, professional mother-nurse.

Mrs. Cohen remarked, "We are doing everything to make him happy for the next few months, but we are not going to try to remind him that he is not well."

"My husband and I think it is best that way," she added.

Superior Court Halts Proposed Fare Hikes

PITTSBURGH, July 25 (AP)—Blasting the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission as "arbitrary and unreasonable," the State Superior court halted today proposed fare hikes by Pittsburgh Railways company.

The high court refused to permit the firm to put into effect Sunday a 20-cent trolley fare, and a 25-cent bus fare. It ordered the new rates postponed indefinitely.

In its opinion, the court criticized the PUC for granting the new rate schedule without first rendering a final decision on fare boosts the past Sept. 10. The court said the action was "arbitrary, unreasonable and contrary to law."

The city of Pittsburgh protested hikes, sixth since World War II, contending the new schedule would give Pittsburgh the highest transportation rates in the nation.

Legal Action Planned For Program Violators

HARRISBURG, July 25 (AP)—Attorney General Robert E. Wood Jr. was reported today to be planning legal action before October 31 against any of 37 Susquehanna river municipalities which continue to disregard orders of the Sanitary Water board in connection with the State's clean streams program.

After a two-hour conference with Woodside, three representatives of the Pennsylvania Federation of Sportsmen's clubs said the attorney general promised, "Each one of the 37 cases under advisement will be reviewed carefully and where warranted litigation will be instituted before the end of October."

The Sportsmen's association, representing more than 1900 clubs in 64 counties, has been pressing the State for prosecution in the cases.

Dairy Employee Hurt When Tumbles Onto Street From Truck

Abram Quay, 50-year-old employee of Levensood Dairies, suffered a possible fractured skull at 12:30 o'clock last night when an ice cream freezer handle he was clutching gave way and he fell out of a company truck onto Walnut street.

Quay was admitted to Pottstown hospital, where he was taken by a Good Will ambulance driven by Herbert Quinter, after being treated for a bleeding left ear. He also complained of spinal pains.

According to Motor Patrolman Stanley Boroway and Patrolman John Kirlin, who investigated, Quay was riding with William C. Yeager, 304 Beech street, and Enos Hartman, 350 North Evans street, in a truck driven by George E. Saurman, 202 Warren street, when the accident occurred. Quay lives at Saurman's address.

Quay fell out of the truck as it turned west onto Walnut street from Washington. Hospital authorities reported Quay said the broken handle was responsible for his fall.

HIMES RETIRES —

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chief inspector three years later.

FOREMAN OF the tool room was his next promotion, in 1931. He remained at that post nine years until he was stricken with typhus (rabbitt fever) in 1940 and was close to death for six months.

When he returned to the plant, later that year he was placed in the engineering department. Five years ago he was made method engineer, the job he left yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock as he punched the time clock for the last time.

The Himes name still can be seen in the time card rack, however. Three of Himes' sons are employed at the plant, too. So is one of his daughters.

Labor Dispute Settled At Fairless Works

MORRISVILLE, July 25 (AP)—Another of the numerous labor disputes among construction workers at the United States Steel company's Fairless works was settled today.

The dispute had idled some 9000 workers who are working on the new steel plant. Workers had refused to cross picket lines of Local 57, AFL laborers union. The pickets were withdrawn today.

A U. S. Steel spokesman said operations will resume Monday. The trouble was reported to have been settled when representatives of the AFL Laborers' International stepped in. The dispute was centered over charges that other AFL unions were doing the laborers' work.

This was the fifth or sixth jurisdictional dispute since construction on the new steel plant was started.

PLAYGROUNDS —

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Bob Emery, Johnnie Johnson, George Emery, Peter Mauger, Paul Lessig, David Hanley, Harold Curry, Stanley Smola, Jerry Christman and Jerry Barry and Dennis Pollock.

The return of cooler weather permitted the children at Franklin playground to again compete in more active sports than they have been participating in during the warm spell.

Playing a fast game of soccer were Billy Gary, George Stranick, Tessa Fos, Dickie Kurte, Billy Firth and Tommy, Jackie and Jimmie Meade.

Most of the boys and girls who attended the playground regularly were on hand to wish farewell to their two playmates, Billy and Richard Gary, who are moving to Baltimore, Md., next week.

LINCOLN playground ended its tournaments in celebration of Joseph Lee Week yesterday.

Pete Hoover beat Jim Clements in the box hockey competition. Judy Fryer was victor over Jackie Diener in a jacks contest in the age group from 5 to 9, while Carolyn Fox was the winner over Irene Lohagen in the age group 10 to 16. Winners in the quilts tournament were John Nieman in the 10 to 15-year-old group and Joe Swede in the 5 to 9-year-old group.

CITIZENSHIP DAY PLANNED WASHINGTON, July 25 (AP)—President Truman today set aside Sept. 17 at Citizenship Day to commemorate the signing of the Constitution on that day in 1787 and the attainment of citizenship by naturalization.

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Farewell to Friend



Mrs. Virginia J. Harris, left, newly-appointed directress of nurses at Memorial hospital, says goodbye to Miss Lucile Munzer, Pottstown hospital directress of nurses. Mrs. Harris, who has been serving as an assistant to Miss Munzer since 1951, will begin her duties at Memorial hospital on August 1.

HOSPITAL STAFF —

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a field of four candidates to succeed Mrs. Homan as directress of nurses at Memorial hospital.

At a farewell tea Thursday afternoon at the Pottstown hospital nurses' residence, Mrs. Harris was presented with gifts from the student body and graduate staff, including a table lamp and two sets of pillow cases and sheets.

A C. Seawell, Pottstown Hospital administrator, said yesterday that a successor to Mrs. Harris has not been determined yet.

MRS. FERTIG, the new directress, is a native of Pottstown, and graduated from Pottstown High school in 1940.

She received a bachelor of science degree in education from Temple university in 1950, and since then has been employed as a therapeutic dietitian at the Albert Einstein Medical Center, Philadelphia, and at the Pennsylvania hospital.

She replaces Mrs. John Mackit at Memorial hospital, who has been dietitian for the past four months.

Miss Rodrock, the incoming operating room supervisor, graduated from the St. Joseph's hospital school of nursing, Reading, in 1947, and became head nurse of the operating rooms there in 1949.

She remained in that position until March, 1952, when she joined the operating rooms staff at Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia.

She replaces Mrs. Phyllis Graham at Memorial hospital. Mrs. Graham has been operating room supervisor for the past four months.

Obituaries

SERVICES FOR MRS. BIRDELLA (RUCKWALTER) SELLERS, widow of Brady Loria Sellers, of WARWICK, were held from a funeral home in Parkerford yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Officiating was the Rev. Theodore L. Fischer, pastor of Transfiguration Lutheran church.

Interment was made in Mt. Carmel Methodist church cemetery. Bearers were Harry Sellers, Charles Williams, Lewis Sellers, Stanley Schnell, Luther Mauger and George Williams.

BOROUGH DEMOS —

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J. Elmer Porter, former burgess, said early this morning from his Ringing Rocks television set, "I've always been for Stevenson, that is for the past six months."

"I think he's the best man. He's seems very well qualified for the job."

THE FEMININE side of the Pottstown Democratic party like the Illinois governor too.

Mrs. Catharine Brandel, Democratic committeewoman, of the Third ward, asserted, "I think he's the right choice. He's a fine speaker. I thought his welcome address was very good. I think he has a fine chance of winning in November."

Mrs. Sophie Kravack, county committeewoman, Second ward, declared, "Stevenson will make a strong candidate I will support him all the way in November."

George P. Ruyak, Democratic councilman from the Third ward, said, "I think he'll make a strong candidate he has a fine reputation."

Warren R. Endy, Democratic councilman from the Second ward, declared, "I think he has a very good chance. The nomination took me by surprise. I liked Kefauver for his honesty, but I think Stevenson is a strong, qualified candidate who will run well."

Stanley Zawaski, Democratic committeeman and councilman from the Fourth ward, said, "I was for Harriman. But I think this man Stevenson will make a good President. I believe he will poll more votes than Kefauver could have gotten. I think he's for labor and will run strong."

WALKING BOY —

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visited their relatives in Virginia only this past weekend.

According to the parents, all the Stroop children have a strong attachment for Mrs. Bertha Stroop, the paternal grandmother, of Singers Glen, Va., and for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craig, the maternal grandparents who live in Orkney Springs, Va.

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BIGGS RETIRES —

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And they're doing the same kind of work now as they did earlier."

LOOKING AT the rug on the floor Biggs said a bit wearily, "I think I fired only one man in my life."

Biggs was born in Stroudsburg and attended schools in Bartonsville, Monroe county. "I didn't study any trade in school or any place else," he explained. I picked up everything I have and I think picking up is the best way. Experience is the best teacher."

Speaking of Spicer, the aging foreman said, "He and I worked making universal joints out of wood. We used to work day and night. The first one I made was used as a model. Mr. Spicer said to me, 'Mr. Biggs how did you ever do it?'"

Several years after the first wooden joint the first universal joint was cast from steel.

Biggs reflected on his career. "Why, I practically made Spicer's in a way."

The Biggs' have no children, but they still remember with pride a fox terrier, "Bob" who died about 19 years ago. Biggs said with a touch of sadness, "He was a fine dog." There's a sign warning strangers of the dog on the front of the house.

He is a member of first Methodist church, Lodge 359, Loyal Order of Moose and Lodge 814, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

BIGGS GOT fired of universal joints through the years and to stagger his routine he took up gardening.

"You ought to see my tomatoes and beans and dahlias," he explained with evident pride.

"I have two nice big sour cherry trees in the back yard and that's where I sit when it's sunny. Tomorrow I'm going to pick beans. I got two fine, big bird baths out there and a chicken pen where I used to keep chickens. I used to keep Rhode Island Reds and Plymouth Rocks."

Biggs is proud of his record as a heavy car owner. He once owned a Maxwell, and currently wheels a modern heavy vehicle around the borough.

Shaking his head, Biggs said, "In my years with Spicer I saw many thousands come and go. It's been a long time with one company, but I always said a rolling stone gathers no moss."

Before he worked with Spicer, Biggs drove a milk wagon for six months from Bloomfield and Newark, N. J.

Man Is Fatally Injured In Crash Near Wyalusing

SAVRE, July 25 (AP)—A 62-year-old Plains, Luzerne county, man was fatally injured today in an auto crash on Route 6 near Wyalusing.

Fred S. Clark died in Robert Packer hospital here shortly after the crash.

State Police Private Leon Czulada said Clark's machine went out of control when another auto, operated by John Joseph Evans, about 40, of Plymouth, swerved partially into its path while Clark was passing.

Czulada charged Evans with involuntary manslaughter. He was arraigned before Justice of the Peace D. A. McNeil of Towanda and released under \$1000 bond for a hearing Aug. 8.

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Dazed, But Not Badly Hurt



Harry Weidenbaugh, of Limerick, inspects the damage to the meat truck which crashed into a tree on Swamp Pike, north of Route 422, after the driver, Harry J. Campbell, 62, of Phoenixville, fell asleep at the wheel. Campbell, sitting with his head bowed in the lower right, was in a dazed condition after the accident, but escaped with minor injuries.

FIRESTONE —

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other labor leaders with Firestone company representatives.

The contract expired at midnight last night. The membership had authorized the executive board to call a strike when it was deemed necessary.

A union spokesman last night said nothing has been heard from Garber in Columbus.

A company spokesman said negotiations were progressing normally. He added, "I didn't have any idea that until we come to a deadlock there would be any reason for a strike."

Lukens Steel Co. To Reopen Parleys

COATESVILLE, July 25 (AP)—The Lukens Steel company, at Coatesville, Pa., will reopen collective bargaining with representatives of the CIO-United Steelworkers union tomorrow morning as an aftermath to the announced settlement of the nation-wide steel strike.

Lukens is one of the nine basic steel plants in the Philadelphia area.

The Lukens management issued a formal statement signed by Charles Lukens, president of the company, announcing "local differences may be resolved promptly. Lukens Steel stands ready to resume operations as soon as an appropriate new agreement has been made with the union."

At the Bethlehem Steel plant at Bethlehem, Pa., a special crew of 54 entered the plant, under union agreement, at noon today to prepare the plant for resumption of production, though pickets were still operating.

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High School Students DOZING TRUCKER — Hail Driver Training

HERSHEY, July 25 (AP)—Driver training courses in high schools were hailed here today as a "life saver" by a panel of four high school students from widely-separated communities in Pennsylvania.

The students, all licensed drivers themselves, said their courses were very helpful in creating the proper attitudes for safe driving.

Earlier, the safety committee of the association was told that a majority of pedestrians killed in accidents on the state's highways seem to be victims of their own shortcomings.

"In other words, pedestrians are running or walking to their own death," said T. Elmer Tranter, state highway safety director.

SEWAGE PLANS OKAYED HARRISBURG, July 25 (AP)—Plans for sewage treatment facilities drawn up by Brownsville and Belle Vernon, both in Fayette county, today received the approval of the Sanitary Water board. The projects are planned as part of the State's clean streams program.

14-Car Freight Train Is Derailed, Ties Up Line

JOHNSTOWN, July 25 (AP)—Traffic returned to near normal two hours after a 14-car freight train left the tracks at nearby Bolivar station today, tying up a main line of the Pennsylvania railroad.

No one was injured in the derailment in which the cars became a tangled barrier spread across four tracks.

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| MONTH | BIRTHSTONE | COLOR | PRIN. SOURCE |
|-----------|------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| January | Garnet | Red, Green, Yellow | All Countries |
| February | Amethyst | Purple | Brazil, U. S., Europe |
| March | Aquamarine, Bloodstone | Light Blue, Green and Red Dots | Brazil, Asia, Near East |
| April | Diamond | Usually colorless | S. Africa, Brazil |
| May | Emerald | Green | S. America, Russia |
| June | Pearl, Moonstone | Pearly Milky | Japan, China, Ceylon, Burma |
| July | Ruby | Red | Burma, Siam, Ceylon |
| August | Peridot, Sardonyx | Light Green, Brownish | Isle of Zabiget, Anywhere |
| September | Sapphire | All colors except Red | Siam, Ceylon, India |
| October | Opal, Tourmaline | All Colors, All Colors | Australia, U. S., Europe, Russia, Brazil, U. S. |
| November | Topaz | Yellow to Pink | Brazil, Ceylon, Russia |
| December | Turquoise, Lapis | Green to Blue, Green to Blue | Persia, U. S., Russia, S. America |

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Allies Leave Conference For 1 Week

MUNSAN, Korea, Saturday, July 26 (AP)—The Allied armistice team walked out of the Panmunjom conference tent today and said they would be back in a week.

Maj. Gen. William K. Harrison made his declaration of a recess after the first open meeting of the truce teams which followed a long series of closed sessions.

The walkout came shortly after Gen. Mark Clark's headquarters in Tokyo issued a detailed resume of secret truce talks from July 4 through yesterday.

The secret sessions failed to produce any results Clark said, because the Communists "refused to recognize the inescapable fact that a large percentage of Chinese prisoners refused flatly to go back to their former masters."

Refusal of about 15,000 Chinese to return willingly to Red control spiked chances for a settlement in the secret meetings, despite Allied dis-

House-Cleaning Reaches Palace Of King Farouk

CAIRO, Egypt, July 25 (AP)—Gen. Mohamed Naguib Bey's Army-backed governmental house-cleaning reached to King Farouk's own palace today. Six of the monarch's top aides resigned.

At the same time, Egypt's new strong man moved anew to crush opposition to the lightning military coup by which he installed the anti-corruption Government of Premier Aly Maher Pasha.

Maher Pasha's new cabinet took over today, pledged to try to end the crisis which has swept this Middle East country for six months. The cabinet hopes to end the corruption Maher Pasha said brought the crisis about and to settle Egypt's dispute with Britain over the Suez canal and Sudan.

In jail on orders of Gen. Naguib were five high-ranking police officials, accused of "conspiring to arouse trouble and undermine public security."

ALSO REPORTED under arrest was Maj. Gen. Sirry Amer Bey, commander of Egypt's Frontier corps. The report said he was caught trying to flee across the border.

Other unconfirmed reports said several top officials in the Ministry of Interior, which controls the nation's police force, also were under arrest.

(A part of the dispatch carrying this report was missing and may have been held up by military censorship but monitors in Beirut, Lebanon, quoted the Egyptian state radio as announcing the arrest of two generals in the Internal Security department—Gen. Abdul Munsef Mohammed, the assistant director, and Gen. Mohamed Imah Ibrahim, head of a special section—and the Governor of Cairo, Gen. Ahmed Talaat. The jobs of all three of these men would come under the ministry of interior. The account quoted a communique from Gen. Naguib saying an attempted mutiny in the police and Army had thus been quelled.)

The new premier, still in Alexandria after he and his cabinet were sworn in there last night at the King's Summer place, announced the resignation of the palace aides. He also said Farouk had officially appointed Naguib as the Army's commander-in-chief—a post the General already had held in the coup early Wednesday—and had promoted him from his former rank of Major General to that of Lieutenant General.

closure approximately \$2,000 North Korean and Chinese prisoners are willing to return to the Communist side.

The new figure, raised from the previous Allied estimate of 70,000, resulted from completion of the Allied "screening" program. This would leave something under 30,000 unwilling to be repatriated, most of them North Koreans.

THE LIST showed, however, that out of more than 20,000 Chinese held prisoner, only 6,400 want to go home.

This was a crushing blow to the Communist propaganda that all Chinese fighting Korea are "volunteers."

By Communist request, the secret talks began July 4 and ended Friday. Immediately afterward, the United Nations command made available a record indicating that the Communists now are mainly concerned about Chinese prisoners and that UN command has not budged in its refusal to force any unwilling repatriation.

While the opposing stands appeared irreconcilable, Maj. Gen. William K. Harrison, chief Allied delegate, said "as long as we continue negotiations, there is always hope."

Strong Aftershocks Jolt California

TEHACHAPI, Calif., July 25 (AP)—The strongest aftershocks following Monday's major earthquake jarred southern California today, causing slides and forcing the closing of a big cement plant near here.

Two severe jolts struck shortly after midday, loosening bricks in damaged buildings here and at Arvin.

There were no reports of casualties. Sycamore canyon and Kern River canyon roads were reported buried under large slides.

Democrats Prove On 1st Ballot They Won't Be Hurried

CONVENTION HALL, Chicago, July 25 (AP)—Well, the Democrats proved at least one thing on their first ballot for president today. They proved that you can't hurry a Democrat.

It took them four times as long to disagree on their presidential candidate as it did for the Republicans to name Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The Republicans needed only an hour to get enough votes to make Eisenhower their candidate.

By contrast, the Democrats began voting at 1:22 p. m., Pottstown time, and they didn't wind up until 5:13 p. m.

It seemed longer.

Almost every large State, and a lot of small ones, wanted an individual rollcall. And as the delegates were called upon, they all too willingly responded with a speech as well as a vote.

Gov. Okey Patteson of West Virginia had it pretty well sized up.

"I suppose somebody wanted to be seen on television," he said. "Make that somebody everybody and you've made a sale, Senator."

AS MAINE goes, so goes the nation, the political proverb says, none too accurately.

Well, here's the way Maine went on the first ballot: Harriman 17, Kefauver 12, Russell 2, Stevenson 3, Oscar Ewing 1.



A happy President Truman finishes reading the statement at his White house desk that told of a settlement agreement in the steel strike. Beside him in jovial moods, too, are CIO Chief Phil Murray (left) and Benjamin Fairless, president of U. S. Steel Corp.

Steel Union Holds off Notification Sending Strikers Back to Work

WASHINGTON, July 25 (AP)—The longest steel strike in the nation's history was officially ended tonight by the striking CIO Steelworkers Policy committee, but the union held off official notification sending 600,000 strikers back to work.

The Policy committee ratified an agreement reached at the White house Thursday afternoon. That agreement stated that "upon ratification of this memorandum by the union's International wage Policy committee, the strike will end."

CIO President Philip Murray, Benjamin Fairless, chairman of U. S. Steel and top executives of five other major producers signed the agreement.

Sources close to the situation told a reporter Murray was holding off his back-to-work orders until all details could be worked out involving a companion strike

Steelworkers Are Eager to Begin Work

PITTSBURGH, July 25 (AP)—Eager steelworkers stood ready to go back to work tonight but their return was slowed as pickets stayed on the job in some sections awaiting orders from Philip Murray, head of the CIO United Steelworkers union.

Although the union's Wage Policy committee ratified a strike settlement in Washington reports of continued picketing came from Cleveland. In Pittsburgh United States Steel corporation and Jones and Laughlin Steel corporation kept their mills closed although they had alerted maintenance workers to stand by.

Andrew Kane, president of USW Local 1397 in nearby Homestead where U. S. Steel has a big plant, said he had been told by top union officials to maintain pickets until a wage dispute of iron ore miners was settled.

About 23,000 iron ore miners walked off the job when the Steelworkers struck June 2. The miners are USW members. The agreement ratified by the Wage Policy committee includes a provision for giving them substantially the same benefits won by Steelworkers. Details are being worked out in secret talks in Washington.

U. S. Steel says it will be four to five days before hunked furnaces—kept alive by standby crews—can start producing again.

THE COMPANY estimates one-third of its 143 open hearth furnaces in the Pittsburgh-Youngstown district have been damaged in the long shutdown.

The company expects its huge Clairton by-products coke plant will be able to produce gas for the Monaca valley mills within 48 hours.

Miners in steel owned mines are not expected to resume work before Monday.

Jones and Laughlin Steel corporation, fourth largest producer, said it will resume operations "in a normal, orderly and safe way."

"I don't have any idea why I took the gun . . . I didn't mean to keep it," he said.

Nutting's son, Donald, 12, said he found the gun under the seat while he sat in his father's car the past Sunday. Thinking it unloaded, he pulled the trigger.

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Mills to Tune up Steel Return Is Slow

NEW YORK, July 25 (AP)—Get-down, blowpipes and other integral parts of a steel mill back into operation after a prolonged strike is a slow and expensive business.

The American Iron and Steel institute says it may take a full month to get a big steel plant going full blast again. To give you an idea of what the steel industry is up against now that the longest strike in history is over, the institute paints this picture:

Restarting an idle mill takes patience, know-how, skill and luck. It may involve costly delays and disappointments.

Coke ovens, blast furnaces and open hearth furnaces which cooled off during the shutdown have to be fired up all over again. Normally these monsters are at red or white heat day and night without interruption. It took a lot of trouble and money to shut them down. And they may have undergone some damage in the process.

THE COKE ovens, the blast furnaces, the open hearth stoves, all have different functions. You can't start them all up at the same time. One depends on the other. The coke ovens supply the coke burned in the big blast furnaces where crude ore is purified by roaring flames which reduce it to molten iron. A by-product of coke-making—inflammable gas—is used as a fuel in steel rolling operations.

The blast furnaces provide the iron for the open hearth furnaces which make steel; the open hearths provide steel for finishing and rolling. Some steel plants use by-product gas from the blast furnaces as a fuel for generating electric power.

Nothing can move until the coke ovens get started, so these are put back in operation first—a process which normally takes around 72 hours.

Next come the blast furnaces. To prevent damage during the shut-

down, the blast furnaces are fired up gradually. It takes about 40 hours to get them going. Then the open hearth furnaces are fired up.

By the time the blast furnaces are going, the open hearth furnaces are ready to produce steel. Then the steel rolling mills are fired up.

By the time the steel rolling mills are going, the steel is ready to be shipped. The steel industry is now in a position to produce steel at a rate of about 10 million tons a month.

It is believed the orders are intended to keep American cars, or cars with diplomatic license plates, from congregating so heavily at one spot as to irritate and offer a mass target for anti-American demonstrations.

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AMERICAN CLUBS CLOSE DOORS IN SEETHING IRAN

U. S. Embassy Indexes Addresses, 'Phone Numbers Of American Residents

TEHRAN, Iran, July 25 (AP)—Seething, anti-foreign unrest led American clubs in Iran to close their doors today. The U. S. embassy began indexing addresses and phone numbers of American residents.

A new demonstration developed against the British on the first Moslem Sabbath since Premier Ahmed Qavam fell and Dr. Mohammed Mossadegh, the nationalist chieftain, regained the Government's reins.

"Death to Churchill," shouted a Moslem religious group of 200 near the police-guarded British embassy. "Down with Britain."

They ripped away street markers on Churchill street, which has borne the British Prime Minister's name since the wartime Big Three conference at Tehran, and replaced them with signs reading Mossadegh street.

MOSSADEGH, who usually does no official work on the Moslem Sabbath, summoned British Charge D'Affaires George Middleton to his big yellow brick home and talked with him two hours.

Middleton said the talk was friendly. He declined to disclose the subject but said speculation that it concerned the British-Iranian oil nationalization dispute was "not far wrong."

Mossadegh won a legal point Tuesday in the ruling by the International Court of Justice that the court lacked jurisdiction to judge Britain's suit for compensation and damages.

Maj. Gen. Wayne Zimmerman, head of the U. S. Army mission in Iran, ordered the officers' and non-commissioned officers' clubs to close. A newly-opened American club, available to all U. S. nationals in Tehran, also was shut down.

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There is nothing so easy but that it becomes difficult when you do it with reluctance.—Terrence.

Foresight Needed on Streets

EVERYBODY'S getting into the act! A street improvement discussion at a meeting of the Pottstown borough highway committee the other night set off a colorful, verbal free-for-all by councilmen who wanted to get in on the ground floor.

Some of the discussion indicated that borough councilmen, intensely loyal to their wards, wanted to put in early bids for new streets.

There's nothing wrong with that kind of loyalty. In fact, the councilmen should be complimented for trying to get some improvements for some wards that are pretty shabby and run down at the heels.

But their bids for new streets seem slightly premature.

First of all, no street improvement program has been formulated.

Secondly, no money has been provided for the paving.

The anxiety of the councilmen indicates the great need for street improvement here.

There was talk of paving unimproved streets. There was palaver on rebuilding some of the older streets of town.

There was more comment about taking the "dips" out of the streets.

There was suggestion about high curbs and which streets would be used.

most.

It's a good sign to see the councilmen getting wrought up about Pottstown's streets. Frankly, they're in a deplorable shape.

Something has to be done.

But the big problem is to get the money.

Council will have to get voters' consent on this, because they'll have to float a bond issue. It'll have to be a big one, too, if all sections of town are to be taken care of.

It was estimated paving of unimproved streets will cost half a million dollars. Maybe it'll cost as much to repair the old streets!

It's such a big program that the opinion of experts is needed. It'd be well, as suggested by Councilman Gustav H. Schade Jr., to outline every street that is to be improved, every one that's to be repaired. There should be an actual timetable set up for this work.

Then nothing will be left to guesswork, to a hit-or-miss system which has been used in the past. The taxpayer who's going to foot the bill will know where he stands. . . . and the voter can keep tabs on the men who occupy seats in the councilmanic chamber.

There's too much disgust right now with Pottstown's patch and oil system, or with paving to please special interests. The program needs an expert director. It needs a supervisor who knows something about putting down streets.

The citizen will vote for streets if he knows he's going to get them. But he's sick of seeing some paved three times before the macadam sticks to the roadway.

It'd be wise to let Joe H. Citizen know what's going on, and when!

A Better Place to Shop

IT is axiomatic that a successful retailer, small or large, chain or independent, must devote much of his time to thinking about his customers—about what Mr. and Mrs. America like and don't like, what they will buy and won't buy.

The consumer, after all, is king—he can make or break any store by giving or denying his patronage.

Of late, a great many retailers have been giving increasing attention to ways and means of making their stores more attractive to the customers.

This work is taking two forms. One is to get certain facts better known, and to offset such widely-held misconceptions that retail prices are unnecessarily high and that retail profits are exorbitant.

The second phase of the work lies in recognizing the fact that the importance of employees to the success of every retail enterprise cannot be overstated.

The employees are the people who come in direct personal contact with the customers—and a rude, inefficient, or indifferent employee can drive armies of people right out the doors and down the street to another store.

Moreover, employees are customers too, and they are members of all kinds of far-reaching, influential social groups.

Today retailers throughout the country are concentrating on attracting consumers and making their stores pleasanter places to shop in.

Grampaw Oakley

FUNKIN CORNERS,
July 25.

Editor, The Mercury.

Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers where the speechmakers may be right when they say this is a crucial year.

Earthquakes occurred just as each convention was getting under way.

Adlai Stevenson was right, too, when he told the Democrats principles are above men.

The trouble is, too many persons don't have much reach.

And say: The Democrats have a right to be worried over their jobs. Some have been in office so long they've forgotten the difference between a job and work!

Hopin' you air the same.

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Readers Hope For Streets Bond Issue

Wants Bond Issue

To the Editor: I hope council goes through with its tentative plan to put the street improvement bond issue on a separate ballot at the November election, or to have a separate election.

I think one of the reasons the bond issue was defeated a year ago was that it was just thrown on at the bottom of the regular ballot, and many people simply ignored it or paid so little attention to it that they automatically voted "no."

Of course, the main reasons that the bond issue was lcked last year was that the Democratic organization actively campaigned against it, for purely selfish political reasons.

This year, we may have the same sort of obstructionist tactics, but if the Republicans are smart, they will conduct a much more active campaign in favor of the bond issue, so that the people will really know and understand it.

Then, if it's on a separate ballot, it will be brought much more forcibly to their attention and the chances of its being approved will be that much greater.

An intelligently-planned campaign

WASHINGTON Dewey's Unpopularity Hurts Ike's Campaign

By RAY TUCKER

CHICAGO, July 25.—The Eisenhower-Nixon ticket's principal plan and hope of November victory depends on several factors.

Democrats preparing to depart from this convention city are praying that Ike will stumble because of political ignorance or his reliance on unwise men from the East—mainly, Governor Tom Dewey of New York and his Wall Street cronies, political and financial.

General Eisenhower and Senator Nixon must stage an aggressive and sparkling campaign against Trumanism and "New Dealism," which no GOP combination has dared to do in recent years under the Willkie-Dewey leadership.

Ike must get rid of the ballot-box albatross which Albany and downtown Manhattan have hung around his party's neck since 1940, according to the new GOP leadership.

The GOP, as even the Democrats concede, have named their strongest ticket in a generation. If they cannot win with this duo, and if they suffer a fifth successive defeat on November 4 the Republicans might as well fold up.

In a real sense, Eisenhower's domestic, political "crusade" is as crucial as his landing on Normandy beaches eight years ago.

But there is strong evidence of Republican suspicion, pain and dissent in Taft territory in the politically important Mississippi Valley, Illinois, Ohio, Indiana, etc., and in Warren-Knowland's Far West.

Midwesterners do not like the rejection of Senator Taft, who has framed, spoken and voted their conservative views on Capitol Hill for many years. However, being conservative people, they will vote for Eisenhower under certain conditions.

How he reacts to their demands may determine whether Eisenhower will be the next president of the United States.

HATRED: The people in the Middle West—straphangers on the subway, as well as the politicians—hate Tom Dewey. They regard him as the architect of political defeat. To them Dewey is a man of disaster.

Furthermore, it is awfully hard for people in New York or northeastern United States to realize how great and deep is the hatred of Dewey out here.

Unless he publicly repudiates the New York governor, which would be difficult to do without a show of ingratiation, Eisenhower may run as poorly in the nation's heartland as Dewey did in 1944 and 1948. He lost 19 normally Republican states.

The people out here "like Ike." But they don't like his Dewey. Aldrich, Henry Luce backers, the same financial and publicity New York crowd which put over Wendell Willkie in 1940 and Dewey in 1944 and 1948.

Unless Eisenhower finds a way to tell off these eastern politicians and financiers, he is a gone goose.

AMAZING: In view of Dewey's great executive ability as Governor of New York, it is amazing the he should be the most hated and despised man in American politics. He probably ranks with such disliked political characters as Henry Clay, John Calhoun, James G. Blaine and William Jennings Bryan.

In the opinion of midwest political authorities he must throw Dewey to the wolves, or lose about 100, midwestern electoral votes.

Had Ike behaved so ineptly in his World War II relations with Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin, we might have lost World War II.

His managers' poor strategy at Chicago has jeopardized his chances of victory. Ike's must be a sparkling campaign to offset Dewey delinquencies.

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can put over the bond issue in November and help us get our streets in some kind of shape.

Pottstown

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Willing to Pay

To the Editor: The other night I was riding down Beech street, at less than the legal limit, when a couple of holes and bumps nearly threw me through the roof of my car.

That's not saying what it did to my poor springs and axles.

Everytime something like this happens, I just hope the borough government gives me a chance to vote on that bond issue for new streets.

I'd sure rather pay a few more bucks a year in taxes that have my nerves shattered and my car ruined every time I ride around on these so-called streets in Pottstown.

East End

SAD RIDER

Kids Should Come First

To the Editor: This letter is addressed to all the "good sports" who contributed to the Bobby Shantz fund enabling the able pitcher to receive a Mercury convertible coupe with all the trimmings worth, at least \$3000.

The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

Broadway Grapevine

THE JACK CASSIDYS (he's the young hero of "Wish You Were Here") have tiffed and parted. . . . Shavey Lee, the "Mayor of Chinatown," is ailing in University Hospital. . . . Nicky Hilton is a d a t i n g beautiful Betty Steiner of the Copacabana chorus. . . . there are those who say that was no earthquake in California last week—it was certain executives of 20th Century-Fox shaking in their wedgies in anticipation of the axe.

Melvyn Douglas' chums are worried about his health. . . . Ray Bidde, of the socially prominent Philadelphia clan, will star in a front page divorce suit soon with his glamorous wife, Kris Nodland of the Broadway shows, pitching the curves. . . . Washington hears that Ana Pauker is under heavy Red guard after a suicide attempt.

MRS. MICKEY COHEN, wife of the jailed gangster, held a conference with a New Jersey night club owner at Manny Wolf's the other evening. She's set to work in the Jersey cafe under the name of LaVonne. . . . The Federal Government has returned Duke Ellington's convertible and absolved him of any implication in the case of his chauffeur, who was arrested for dope peddling.

The Maharajah of Cooh Behar is

due to hit newspprint again—but this time no blonde is involved. Cochie has formed a syndicate of wealthy Indian businessmen to promote the TV industry in his country. They've been quietly offering alluring sums to U. S. technicians, directors and talent to go over and start the industry there. . . .

DISC JOCKEY Art Ford tells friends he's going to Mexico to look for flying saucers. (But isn't one of the sauciest saucers on his mind Marge Grady, who by a strange coincidence will be playing a South of the Border singing engagement at the same time?) . . . Johnny Ray laid an omelette in his recent Boston theatre date.

Arlene Cunningham, the cute MCA secretary who has been dating Montgomery Clift for a year or so, is no longer moviestar struck. She's on the verge of an aisle walk with a sax player in Billy May's band. . . . Eartha Kitt of "New Faces" just collected \$5000 from her insurance company—aftermath of her accident last winter when she toppled off the stage at Le Vie En Rose and wrecked her Gotham debut.

CLARK GABLE is irked with his American pals in Europe who keep reporting on his overseas romances—he means that every time he looks at a girl he winds up in print. (Oh, Clark, that's just the penalty you pay for being so attractive!) . . . Norman Graetz, the "Jazz at the Philharmonic" entrepreneur, has sunk a huge lump of money into the Madman Muntz enterprises.

"Angel" auditions for Robert Alda's new musical, "Herald Square" have attracted chic spectators. At the last one, the Countess Di Frasso and Cary Grant stole most of the attention from the score.

THE SITUATION with the Gene Kelly's is the talk of "the Hollywood set" in Paris. . . . A great deal of Kelly's "Invitation to the Dance" (a full-length feature that will feature NO dialogue) may be filmed in England instead of France as planned. The French being just too hot for the American dollar. . . . Robo Rocke-feller will soon tear herself away from that Pennsylvania farm and head for the bright lights of Bway. Getting ready for another stage fling, we hear. . . . Darryl Zanuck planning to produce "Appointment in Stockholm" in all of places, Sweden. . . .

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RESIGN—Joseph E. Galligan and his Fair Rent committee resigned. Galligan stated the Federal officials at Philadelphia would not establish a Montgomery county office. The committee during its brief existence registered 2500 landlords and also acted in a number of rent and lease cases in this area.

I hope they got their money's worth in enjoyment in presenting this expensive gift to a man who earns close to \$15,000 a year and whose last need was a free car.

While Bobby rides around with the top down on his new car enjoying the cool breezes, let the "good sports" think a little of what their money could have done to send some poor kids to camp via the Fresh Air Fund.

The Fresh Air fund is completely depleted, but do people rush to make donations so that some underprivileged child will be able to get vacation?

The answer is NO.

Why? Because people would rather "show off" with their money than put it to worthy use.

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Too Much TV

To the Editor: I guess we have to face it. Half efficiency is what we'll get from now on because the television puts are staying up until 3 of the morning looking at some silly politicians making asses of themselves. Some fun, eh? Who pays the piper?

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EMPLOYER



Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, July 25.—Wonder what "giant brain" at Paramount decided that beautiful Mary Sinclair, the talented stage and TV actress, recently signed by this emporium should be tossed into a NOT-top-drawer Western as her first Hollywood stint? . . . The lady said, "No!"

"Natch! Now, here's a studio that hasn't had a femme star of its own (other than Betty Hutton, who just left there) in YEARS. And almost NO male names! We could name a list a yard long of people they could have built into big stuff—but instead, muffed the chances later grabbed by other lots. It will be interesting to see what Paramount does with (or TO) Rosemary Clooney. She may replace Betty Hutton in the upcoming, "Topsy and Eva". . . . Pete Lawford itemed as being here and there with this and that doll. But every time we've seen him lately at parties or public places, he's been strictly staz. Oh, well, it's less expensive that way. . . . Constance Smith, the British belle about to brush off her recent marriage, has flown east to co-star with Dan Dailey in "Taxi." Most of it will be made in Manhattan.

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ROYERSFORD
Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. Clarence C. Knepper, pastor, 9:15 a. m., Sunday school; 10:30 a. m., service; 7:30 p. m., service.
Sacred Heart, the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, pastor, Masses at 5:30, 10 and 11 a. m.
Baptist, the Rev. Fred G. Kuntz, pastor, 9:45-11:30 a. m., combination service of church and school.
Methodist, the Rev. Earl C. Carver, pastor, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., worship, sermon, "The Secret of Spiritual Culture"; 7:30 p. m., last evening service until after Labor Day, sermon, "The Faith That Serves."
Grace Lutheran, the Rev. Paul J. Henry, pastor, 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., the service, sermon, "You and Jesus."
Nazarene, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., worship; 6:45 p. m., N.Y.P.S.; 7:45 p. m., service.
Mennonite Brethren in Christ, the Rev. Paul E. Baer, minister, 9 a. m., Sunday school; 7:30 p. m., service, sermon, "In The Sight of God."

First Evangelical and Reformed, the Rev. Franklin P. Watts, pastor, 9:30 a. m., church school; 10:45 a. m., worship.
Church of the Brethren, the Rev. Wilbur Martin, pastor, 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., worship, sermon, "Life's Most Wonderful Word."
Church of the Epiphany Episcopal, 9:30 a. m., church school; 10:45 a. m., morning prayer.

SPRING CITY
First Evangelical and Reformed, the Rev. Grant O. Adams, pastor, 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., the worship service.
St. Clare's Catholic, Linfield, the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, pastor, Masses 5:30 and 11 a. m.
Methodist, the Rev. Charles F. Salkeid, pastor, 9:30 a. m., prayer and Sunday school; 10:30 a. m., worship, sermon; 7:30 p. m., Gospel hour, subscription, message.
Mennonite Brethren in Christ, the Rev. Paul E. Baer, minister, 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:30 a. m., worship, sermon, "Render to All Their Dues."
Spring City Lutheran, the Rev. Ralph L. Alderfer, pastor, 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., the service.
St. Joseph's Catholic, the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, pastor, Masses 10 a. m.
 Zion Lutheran, the Rev. Eugene C. Harmon, pastor, 9:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., church school; 10:45 a. m., the service and sermon.

Hospital Notes
A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gardner, Spring City RD 1, in Phoenixville hospital Thursday.
Mrs. David T. Clark Jr., Royersford, was discharged from the hospital.
Camels were imported commercially to America for the first time in 1856-54 animals sent to Indianapolis, Tex.

Couple Wed in Italy



Pietro Amoroso, of Royersford, stands with his wife the former Lucy Diprinzio following their marriage in May in Canosa Sannita, Italy. Amoroso recently returned to Royersford, where his parents Mr. and Mrs. Rocco Amoroso reside at 527 Chestnut street, and his bride will join him within a few months.

CIVIL DEFENSE LEADER
HARRISBURG, July 25 (AP)—Dr. Richard Gerstell, State civil defense director, today was named State chairman for civil defense for the 1952 Pennsylvania Week.

SHOTGUN CAUSES DEATH
CONNELLSVILLE, July 25 (AP)—Mrs. Raymond Hilliard, 35-year-old mother of six children, died today of shotgun wounds apparently self-inflicted. Mrs. Hilliard had been suffering from a severe case of arthritis for several years.

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Fifty salesmen and staff members of the Firestone Plastics company pose outside the Pottstown plant yesterday after concluding a two-day general sales conference. Representatives were present from Montreal, Canada, Los Angeles, Chicago, Dallas, High Point, N. C., Cleveland, Akron and New York city. The main subject of discussion at the sessions conducted by Roger S. Firestone, president, and Elmer French, vice president in charge of sales, were plans for advancing sales to take advantage of increased production made possible by plant expansion which has been underway in Pottstown during the past year.

Spring City Man Refutes Claim of 'Oldest' Barber

Joseph Thomas, 12 South Main street, Spring City, has challenged the statement of a San Diego, Calif., barber that he is the oldest active tonsorial artist in the nation. Reading a newspaper account that the barber on the West Coast has been in the business 60 years, Thomas claims that he has been in the business 62 years, and even started to cut hair five or six years before that. He is now 85 and still going strong, hoping to continue at his trade for a long time.

Thomas learned to cut hair and shave chins in the place now owned by Charles H. Custer, 121 North Main street, where he worked for someone else about five years. He started in business for himself in a shop he rented next to his present location, where he cut hair for 15 cents and charged 10 cents for a shave.

FORCED TO vacate in 1900, because the owner had other plans for the building, he built his own barber shop, the same one he uses today.

DEATHS—FUNERALS
MRS. MAGDALENA LUDWIG, 93, widow of William Ludwig, died in her home, **SCHWENKSVILLE RD.**, Thursday afternoon of infirmities.
Heading a list of five generations, Mrs. Ludwig is survived by seven children, 12 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.
A resident of Schwensville years ago, Mrs. Ludwig later moved to Philadelphia, where she resided 29 years. She returned to Schwensville 12 days ago. She was a member of Jerusalem Lutheran church.
Surviving children are Mrs. Emma Brewer, Philadelphia; Mrs. Julia Yost, Chestnut Grove road, Pottstown; Louise, wife of Otto Wurm, Kemilworth; Mrs. Elizabeth Meng, Woodbury Heights, N. J.; Mary, wife of Raymond Seigford, Sewell, N. J.; Henry, Schwensville RD. and Ida, wife of Lewis Maag, Schwensville RD.
Funeral services will be conducted Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in a funeral home at 21 Main street, Trappe. Interment will be made in Schwensville cemetery.

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U. S. Denies Charge Of Shadowing Reds

FRANKFURT, Germany, July 25 (AP)—A U. S. Army spokesman tonight denied a Russian charge that Soviet military missionaries in West Germany are shadowed by German police.
The Soviet charge was broadcast yesterday by the official East German news agency ADN. The broadcast said the Russians were going to keep a check on the U. S. military mission at Potsdam, in the East zone.
The Russians claimed West German police are posted as sentries near where Soviet mission cars are parked. The American spokesman said these sentries are charged with the security of the mission.

The Russians also complained that Soviet cars were being stopped by West German authorities. The U. S. spokesman said Soviet mission personnel had broken traffic regulations so frequently "it was necessary to stop Soviet mission vehicles and inform the drivers of these violations."

With a theme of "God's Way—Our Way," delegates opened the three-day sessions with a devotional period. This was followed with a drama and reports from officers. Tonight, the youths heard an address by the Rev. Celo Leitzel, of Mt. Airy Seminary, Philadelphia. Tomorrow's program will include workshops, a tour of this region and a dinner program. Intermediate delegates will conduct their own program.

HAZLETON, July 25 (AP)—The 12th annual convention of the Lutheran League of the Evangelical Lutheran Ministerium of Pennsylvania and adjacent states opened here today with a registration of more than 150 delegates representing 173 Lutheran Leagues in the nine-conference area.

FDR'S STATUE WREATHED
LONDON, July 25 (AP)—Elder statesman Bernard Baruch today placed a wreath on the Franklin D. Roosevelt statue in London's Grosvenor Square. He will spend the weekend with Prime Minister Churchill at Churchill's country residence and will sail for New York Wednesday.

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Man Pleads Innocent To Contempt Charge

WASHINGTON, July 25 (AP)—Joseph Scalleat of Hazleton today pleaded innocent to a contempt of Congress charge in connection with the Senate Crime Investigation committee hearings the past August.
Judge Alexander Holtzoff said the trial date would be announced later. Scalleat was released under \$1000 bond. He was indicted by a Federal grand jury for refusing to answer questions and for failing to produce records for the committee.
The committee described Scalleat in its final report as a "Hazleton racketeer." The Hazleton man was questioned in connection with the committee's investigation of gambling in the Scranton-Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton area of northeastern Pennsylvania.
Among the questions Scalleat was indicted for not answering were:
"How many brothers do you have, Mr. Scalleat?"
"Do you happen to know what they wanted Parisi for?"
The indictment said the reference was to Jack Parisi who was described in the committee report as a "former New York convict."
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Today
Edward Whisby, 374 Apple street.
Betty Tramer, Douglassville RD 2.
Hazel Bryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bryan, Douglassville RD 2.
Jack W. Shadrack, 542 Highland road.
Frederick Millard, 133 Cunder street, Birdsboro.

Tomorrow
Mrs. Ardell G. Hegele, Boyertown RD 2.
George Haheman, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Haheman, Pottstown RD 4, aged 15 years.
Geraldine Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Russell, 653 Queen street, aged 15 years.
Carol Lou Boughter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Boughter, 329 North Hanover street.
Walter Lord, 129 South Hanover street.
Raymond Weikel, 39 East Sixth street.
Mrs. Luther Missimer, 238 North Charlotte street.
Mrs. Kate Stone, 615 North Evans street.
John Pfommer, 1115 South street.
William A. Triess, P. O. Box 652.
David F. Bechtel Jr., Pottstown RD 4.

Thelma B. Knuffman, Mr. James W. Haas, To Be Married Today

The marriage of Miss Thelma Bette Knuffman to Mr. James Wesley Haas will take place this morning at 11 o'clock in St. Peter's Lutheran church, Stowe.

The Rev. A. S. Hanson, pastor, will officiate at a double ring service uniting Miss Knuffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knuffman, 635 West High street, Stowe, and Mr. Haas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haas, 764 North Charlotte street.

THE BRIDE will be attended by Miss Joan Amthor, her cousin, as maid of honor, and by Miss Mary Gich, Mrs. Bernice Grubb and Mrs. Gloria Gill as bridesmaids.

Mr. Joseph Gill will serve as best man for his brother-in-law, and his ushers will include Mr. Charles August, a cousin of the bride; Mr. Edward Grubb and Mr. Harold Davidheiser.

After a reception on the lawn of the Knuffman home the couple will leave for a wedding trip to Kentucky, where Mr. Haas is stationed with the U. S. Army at Fort Knox.

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Strong, healthy teeth have much to do with health and beauty. No movie star could sell her smile to the cinema customers without beautiful teeth, shining white and perfect in form. The lipstick on every feminine face, calls attention to the mouth.

Time was when little girls were told that if they would eat their bread crusts they would have curly hair. Now the medical profession tells us that is what we should do to provide exercise for the teeth, gums and jaws. It is supposed to strengthen them against tissue, bone and enamel deterioration. Vigorous chewing increases the circulation and the flow of saliva, necessary for digestion of food.

Be fussy about the toothbrushes you use. You should have two of them, using them on alternate days. Avoid large ones because they will not seek out all portions of the dental arch. Bristles should be of different length, set in groups. Wash the brush carefully after using. There's no telling how many germs are lurking on the bristles.

IF YOU ARE a coward, hate the visit to the dentist and always postpone it, ask him to send you notification cards every six months and promise to respond. Twice a year there should be a professional cleaning, a polish, removal of tartar and a hunt for caries that may be forming. This way will save you pain and money in the future.

Dentists tell us now that brushing should be immediately after eating. Food particles in the mouth can change in character within the hour producing chemicals that are dental enemies. If you are a bonbon fiend, keep a box of candy at your elbow, you should brush your teeth frequently, several times a day.

If there are spaces between the teeth and you are in the habit of using dental floss, be careful not to saw it into the gums. You can cause a wound and any wound is subject to infection.

BIRTHS
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Adams, 264 Washington street, Royersford, are the parents of a son, born in Pottstown hospital yesterday.

The birth of a daughter in Community General hospital, Reading, is announced by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koch, Birdsboro RD 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Delp Jr., 142 Main street, Birdsboro, announce the birth of a daughter in Community General hospital, Reading.

Announcement is made of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Eddinger, 47 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, in Reading hospital.

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Woman's Page

CLUB NEWS WEDDINGS

Mrs. Stella Mock Holds Doggie Roast For Ladies' Auxiliary

A doggie roast was held at the home of Mrs. Stella Mock, Master and Quinter streets, for the ladies auxiliary of Upper Pottsgrove Township fire company.

Mrs. Nora E. St. Onge, president, presided at a short business meeting. The secretary's report was read by Mrs. Ruth Fisher and Mrs. Doris Viscardi gave the treasurer's report.

Co-chairman of the ways and means committee, Mrs. Mazie Rhoads, gave her report and said \$75 would be given to the treasury. She also stated two get well cards were sent to members.

MRS. BETTY Binsfeld was appointed property chairman by the president. The group voted to buy metal cabinets and 'gadgets' for the kitchen at the fire house. They will be purchased by Mrs. Ann Yerger, purchasing chairman.

Mrs. Vivian Kurtz, Mrs. Luella Mace and Mrs. Binsfeld were appointed to the social committee.

A picnic was planned to be held at Sunnyside, Aug. 17, at 2 p. m. The auxiliary is furnishing hot dogs, doggie rolls, hard rolls, dixie cups and ice cream bricks. Anyone planning to attend will please call Mrs. Mock, chairman, or any member of the social committee. Each family is to bring one dish. Swimming will be enjoyed in the afternoon and Mrs. Grace Swanson, program chairman, will plan the games. The picnic will take place of the regular August meeting.

Kathleen DeZura Honored On Birthday Anniversary

A birthday party was held last night to honor Kathleen DeZura, daughter of Mrs. Michael DeZura, Linden, Mo., and the late Mr. DeZura, at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard DeZura, 362 Apple street.

Kathleen is spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. DeZura. Attending the affair which was held on the lawn of the home, were:

Mary Ann Gnoza, Remy Gnoza, John Gnoza, Barbara Getz, Susan Koch, Edward Koch, George Zelenick, Kathleen Rudzinski, Joseph Rudzinski and Robert Gregory.

Susan Cannell Honored With 11th Birthday Party

Susan Cannell, 11-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cannell, Sheep Hill road, Pottstown RD 2, was honored yesterday at a party given by her parents to observe her birthday anniversary.

Pink and yellow decorations made the party room festive, and the table was centered with a large birthday cake.

A round of games on the lawn followed, and prizes were won. Attending were Diane DeWan, Betty Dahms, Darlene Fahr, Annette Frahm, Betsy Fillman, Esther Mae Marquette and Patricia Cannell.

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Tired Lines Will Vanish After Long, Relaxing Bath

How to look your best at short notice is the subject of this puerile preaching. When the late and unexpected invitation comes to fare forth and be gay, you look in the mirror, wonder if it is possible for you to appear your usual self after a fatiguing day of one kind or another.

When one is tired, the complexion's alluring transparency suddenly vanishes, takes on a grayish look that makes you feel older than the hills. There are lines around your eyes that were never there before, or do you just imagine that?

Cheer up! Magic can be worked. Lie down, relax, place an ice-cold compress over your eyes. Perhaps a warm bath will pick you up. If you are tired down to your bones, rest is what you need. Deep breathing will help because air washing your lungs brings refreshment to body and soul. Rhythmic breathing will take the knots out of your nervous system.

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Goodwill Auxiliary Plans Firehouse Festival Aug. 1

Plans for a festival in August, were made Thursday night at a meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary of Goodwill fire company, held in the firehouse.

Mrs. Lillian Ginder, president, conducted the planning session for the bazaar, scheduled for Friday, Aug. 1, in the firehouse.

Plans also were made for a social to be held at the home of Mrs. Ruth Levenson, Sanatoza, Monday night at 8 o'clock.

After the business session refreshments were served by Mrs. Helen Smoyer, chairman, and members of her social committee. Pies in the box were donated by Mrs. Smoyer, Mrs. Cora Takach and Mrs. Viola Arch and won by Mrs. Margaret Noecker, Mrs. Arch and Mrs. Takach.

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Four Pupils Receive Word of Acceptance From State Schools

Notification that four Pottstown and area graduates of Pottstown Senior High school have been received into the colleges and schools they requested has been received by Mr. Stanley I. Davenport Jr., principal of the school.

LeRoy Hallman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Hallman, 719 Beech street, has been admitted without condition to Juniata college, Huntingdon. He was a member of the varsity basketball team and baseball team. He received the Rensselaer medal and Luther D. Showalter awards at Commencement exercises the past June.

Miss Kathleen Rowan, director of nurses at Bryn Mawr hospital, informed the school that Jane Gay Maxwell, Joan Marie Becker and Shirley Weikel were admitted with condition to the nursing school of the hospital.

MISS MAXWELL is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Maxwell, Pottstown RD 2. She was a member of the girls' basketball and hockey teams. She also was an active member of the safety patrol.

Miss Becker is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Becker Jr., Spring Mount RD 1. She was a member of the cheerleaders for three years, and was a member of the girls' varsity basketball team.

Miss Weikel is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Weikel, 293 Manatony street. She was a member of the varsity softball team and the varsity hockey team.

Miss Litz, Mr. Yaculak To Be Married Sept. 7

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Litz, Master street, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Barbara Virginia Litz, to Mr. Nicholas Yaculak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yaculak, Birdsboro.

The couple will be married Saturday, Sept. 7, in Limerick Non-Sectarian chapel.

Miss Litz is a graduate of Pottstown Senior High school with the class of 1951 and is employed at Ellis Mills department store. Her fiancé is an employee of the B. F. Goodrich company, Phoenixville.

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Candidates' Ex-Wife Gives Her View of Political Life

By KUTH COWAN son, Adlai Jr., 22, now is in Marine training at Quantico, Va.

CHICAGO, July 25.—A lovely woman who recoiled from the hurly-burly of politics sat watching television today as the Democratic convention balloted on nomination of her former husband as President.

She is Ellen Borden Stevenson, wealthy Chicago socialite and considered one of the most high-spirited and beautiful girls ever to make her debut in this city.

After more than 20 years of married life, and three sons, they were divorced on grounds of "incompatibility" in 1939 shortly after Adlai Stevenson became governor of Illinois.

SHE HAD become increasingly unsympathetic toward the trend of his interests in public life. Shortly before the convention she said she intended to vote Republican.

The exciting events of the last few days have not swayed her. "Yes, I still intend to vote Republican," she told an Associated Press reporter.

"Yes, I am a Democrat, but I truly believe there should be a change in the Administration. I stand on that."

"That is my conviction—the way I believe," she said simply.

She and her former husband are friendly. She wishes him well. She said she had no plans to go to the convention.

HER MOTHER, Mrs. John Alden Carpenter of Chicago, has been attending—on tickets sent by Stevenson.

"Mother went to both conventions," laughed Mrs. Stevenson. "Two of the Stevensons' three sons—Fell, 16, and Borden, 19—have been at the convention. The third son, Adlai, 22, is in Marine training at Quantico, Va."

MRS. CARPENTER disclosed that political differences were at the base of her daughter's separation and divorce.

Stevenson became actively interested in public affairs during early days of the late president Franklin D. Roosevelt's new deal.

As the years passed Stevenson and his wife's interests became divided. Further, Mrs. Carpenter said her daughter became nervous and unhappy under the rough-and-tumble demands of a political life.

Especially did this become acute when as wife of the governor, she found she would have to be hostess to many folks whose views she could not share.

HOSPITALS

MEMORIAL
Admitted: Mildred Seydel, 115 Root avenue, Hanover Heights, medical; Lewis Brant, Pottstown RD 4, surgical; Daniel March, Perkiomenville RD 1, medical; Robert Bertolo, Pottstown Star Route, surgical; Betty Wahl, Boyertown RD 2, medical; Elvina Henricks, 235 North Charlotte street, medical; George Stevenson, 355 South Hanover street, medical; Viola Stong, 1135 South street, medical.

POTTSTOWN
Admitted: Earl Kissling, 385 Kline avenue, Hanover Heights, surgical; Harry Ecker, 1055 South street, surgical; Helmut Phell, Stowe, surgical; Martha Stein, 218 North Franklin street, medical; Carl Brownstein, 1097 Terrace lane, medical.

Discharged: Karen Kemp, 861 North Adams, medical; Eric Gaul-bourne Jr., Pine Forge, surgical; Mrs. Calvin Cressman, 109 Lindburg avenue, Hanover Heights, maternity; Fred Caldwell, Spring City RD 1, medical; Mrs. Carl Landis, Pottstown RD 3, maternity; Robert Schott, Barco RD 1, surgical; John Naylor, Zion avenue, South Pottstown, medical; William Beckwith, 332 Myrtle street, Royersford, surgical.

County Antique Dealers Hold Picnic and Meeting

Lakeview park, Royersford, was the scene of a picnic and antique show planning meeting held by the Antique Dealers' association of Montgomery county recently.

Mr. Oliver Lewis Christman, chairman of the forthcoming antique show, conducted the discussions. The show will be held Oct. 6, 7 and 8 in Sunnyside ballroom, and dealers from every part of Montgomery county will take part.

The picnic was in charge of Mrs. Marian Pierce of Trappe, chairman; Mrs. Paul Ecolf and Mrs. Rudolph Green, both of Pottstown; Mrs. Silas Stahl of Sanatoza and Mrs. Claude Fisher of Fort Washington.

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Advice to the Lovelorn

Married Two Years; Has Problem

Mrs. X is 30 years old. Her husband is 33, and in the two years they have been married, his irresponsibility, coupled with heavy drinking, has driven her to the point where she says she sometimes thinks she will lose her mind. How it could be that Mrs. X apparently found out so little about this man before she married him, it is hard to conceive, for it seems that they have practically nothing in common. She loves to dance; he doesn't dance at all. She could be satisfied with just a quiet evening at home, which is the last thing her husband wants. "All he wants to do," she writes, "is for us to sit in some joint while he gets drunk." She rarely ever took a drink in the past and now is more against drinking than ever.

Mrs. X has financial difficulties, too, stemming from the most part from her husband's drinking.

"HE PAYS all the bills and what's left, he spends on drinks," she says. "Sometimes there's only 15 or 20 dollars left, and the whole thing goes for liquor. I wouldn't mind his keeping his pay check. So long as he pays the bills, I'm satisfied. But I do think he should split what's left between us. I've spoken to him about this several times, and he always says I'm right, but still I always have to ask him for any money for things I need, and it makes me feel bad."

"Between never having any money for myself and his never wanting to anything on his time off but get drunk, it's got so that I just want to cry all the time. Sometimes I think I'll find someone else and start going out, but I just can't bring myself to do such a thing. I'm sure it wouldn't be any fun. I'm so unhappy and so worried all the time that I am getting very thin. My husband tells me he loves me above everything, yet when I try to talk to him about giving up drinking he won't discuss it. If I go for a couple of days without speaking, he just makes a joke of it and kids me about it as though nothing had happened."

"If I don't go with him when he wants to go to a bar, he goes by himself and I'm left sitting alone. At such times I am so upset that I can't go out with my friends or even to a movie myself. What do you think is the right thing to do about this?"

NOW IT is true that there are times when the only thing for a wife with husband trouble to do is sit tight and wait to see if it won't blow over by itself. But there are plenty of other times when definite action is called for, and I would say that Mrs. X's situation, does call for action. Certainly she is never going to get anywhere just sitting around by herself, crying and worrying.

There are two things I would advise her to do. The first is to get herself a job, with the double purpose of giving her something to do with her time and thoughts and also providing her with the money she needs and doesn't get. In one part of her letter she says "there's nothing much to do but go to a movie." I take it, however, that she is talking about ways of amusing herself, rather than a way to occupy herself remuneratively. Even in a small town, there are usually some sort of jobs to be had and she should summon up the energy and determination to find out what and where they are.

The second thing she might do is to get in touch with the nearest Alcoholics Anonymous group and find out if there isn't something they can do to help her with the problem of her husband. Undoubtedly she knows that the men

Formal Ivory Jade Gown



A really handsome gown, which can make an entrance and yet not overpower its wearer, is this Ivory Jade affair, with a formal, strapless bodice, and a flowing skirt with two wide unpressed pleats in front. There are split pockets on the side seams. The flowers that go around the neckline are made of the same tulle as the dress and have pearl and rhinestone centers. Green leaves are appliqued down the front of the fitted bodice, and it has a self fabric belt.

Social Calendar

Today
Mothers' class of First Methodist church—Picnic today at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Douglas Hale. Pottstown Star Route. In case of rain will be held in Fellowship hall of the church at 4 o'clock.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational church—Sunday school picnic today at 2 o'clock at Sunnybrook park.

Holiness Christian church—Annual congregational picnic today from 11 until 8 o'clock at Manatoway park.

Salem Evangelical Congregational church—Sunday school picnic today at 2 o'clock at Sunnybrook park. Those attending will meet at church at 2 o'clock.

Bethesda Baptist church—Sunday school picnic today at 1:30 o'clock at Pottstown park. Elverson.

West Vincent Housewives' league—Meeting today at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lesley Phillips East Nantmeal.

Marriage Licenses
Application for a marriage license was made at Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by E. Earl Schwabert and Inez E. Kolb, both of Pottstown RD 3.

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Too Great Contrast Will Draw Attention To Too-Heavy Legs

Salvation Army Post In Boston Awarded To 1st Lieut. Hillpot

Slender ankles and neatly combed calves contribute to the attractive appearance, and it is a sad blow to the heavyweight when she is bulky or of awkward shape. She should have minded her eating habits and they would never have gotten that way.

By corrective exercises, a girl can delete the adipose tissue on her legs. She should walk on her toes, lift up and down on them, get all the muscles working from ankles to knees. It is because musculature is soft and weak that fat cells have settled there.

Nice legs should be nicely dressed. There are a few rules that a girl should keep in mind. Too great contrast in the color of the frock, hosiery and shoes should be avoided so that a long color line is preserved, which will give slenderness and grace to legs, ankles, feet and to the figure as a whole.

Light hosiery contrasting with dark footwear, or both shoes and stockings contrasting too much with the frock, will make the legs appear larger. Stockings come in more different tones than they have in the past. When selecting them keep in mind the frocks and shoes that you are to wear with them.

OF COURSE, a girl with pretty legs is entitled to break these rules now that shoes come in all colors.

The heavyweight makes a grave mistake when she does this, however. Her feet are usually in proportion to her size, but why make them appear even larger than they are by not dressing them sensibly and properly.

Intricate arrangement of straps and gay decorations on shoes center attention on the feet. While it is pleasant to have the trotters in smart cases, they should never be so elaborate as to take the eye of the observer away from a woman's face and figure.

Buying shoes requires heavy thinking these days. And do see that they afford ease of movement and comfort.

She is a graduate of West Pottsgrove High school; Messiah Bible college, Grantham, and the Salvation Army Training college, New York city. Lieut. Hillpot also holds a degree from the Evangelical Teachers' Training association, Chicago, Ill.

In 1947 Lieut. Hillpot was assigned to York, and in 1949 she was transferred to Philadelphia, where she organized a troop of "Sunbeams," the youth organization of the Army. In May of this year her troop took part in the Army rally more different tones than they have in the past. When selecting them keep in mind the frocks and shoes that you are to wear with them.

While there Lieut. Hillpot will continue her education in Child Psychology.

Holiness Christian to Hold Picnic for Congregation

The congregation of Holiness Christian church will join today for the annual church picnic, to be held at Manatoway park, beginning at 11 o'clock this morning.

The committee, headed by Mr. Albert R. Pollock, superintendent, has planned an afternoon of games for adults and children, highlighted by a softball game.

Assisting with plans are committee members: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rinehart, Miss Dorothy Bechtel and Mrs. Jeon Schaeffer.

If you are a new bride, don't take the chance of letting your gift spins set go to waste for lack of knowing how to use them. There are books on spices and their use, get one and enjoy your food to the fullest.

CORRECTION
In yesterday's issue of The Mercury credit was erroneously given under the photo of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald L. Flicker, Fruitville newlyweds. The photograph was taken by the Shaner studio.

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RED HILL

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Harry Style, Main street, was admitted to Grandview hospital, Sellersville, as a surgical patient. Empty jars to fill for the Germantown home are ready. They are to be filled with fruits and vegetables and brought back at Harvest home time.

Joel Gebert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gebert is spending some time at camp Miller, Shawnee-on-the-Delaware.

Menlo park rally will be held on Aug. 2. The Sunday school and church members entertain both at dinner and lunch for the orphans and aged of the Germantown home.

The Altar Guild members of St. Paul's Lutheran church are as follows:
Mrs. Florence Schwartz, Mrs. Verna Royer, Mrs. Kathryn Mayberry, Mrs. John Dulin, Mrs. Mabel Bittling and Mrs. Elsie Miller.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burkholder and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Burkholder, Boyertown, spent an evening in Allentown.

Mrs. Andrew Sensky, Green Lane RD., called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burkholder recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Rumble, North Main street, spent a week-end in Allentown visiting Mrs. Pauline Kline and daughter.

Mrs. Charles Daut observed her birthday anniversary recently.

Mrs. Paul Godshall, Lansdale, called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Schwenk, Main street.

St. Paul's annual picnic will be held on the church lawn. Committees of construction, electrical, publicity also those who serve in the different stands have been appointed. Games for children will begin at 6:30 p. m. In case of rain, the picnic will be held the following Wednesday. The Red Hill Band has been engaged for the evening.

Legion Block Party Draws Large Crowd

Approximately 2000 members and guests of the George Amole Post 47, American Legion, thronged to the block party given by the post last night.

With Franklin street between King and Chestnut streets blocked off and resounding to the strains of band music, the crowd enjoyed themselves with all the distractions offered by an open-air carnival.

Last night's festival was the third annual affair of this type to be sponsored by the local Legionnaires in an effort to raise funds for the maintenance of the post.

Featured were the 40-piece local Legion band and the Pennhurst State school hillbilly band which provided the music while adults and children entertained themselves with pony rides and various games.

Clarence Renoll, post commander, and Robert Weller were in charge of the program.

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Democratic Presidential Nominee -- GOV. ADLAI STEVENSON



Adlai Stevenson, born in Los Angeles, was 5½ months old when held by his grandfather for this picture.



At 10, in school at Bloomington, Ill., he took this serious view of life realizing that his name, pronounced 'Add lay,' means 'The Just.'



As a graduate of Northwestern University Law School in 1926, he was prepared to follow the political tradition of his forebears.



Sworn in as governor of Illinois in Jan. 1919 he carried a mandate for good government from the voters who gave him a record plurality of 572,000. His big state had only three Democratic governors in 100 years.



Relaxing after his strenuous campaign for the governorship, Stevenson took early morning rides in the North Carolina sandhills, while vacationing at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ernest lives at Southern Pines.



His three sons met the governor in Chicago last March after his return from a Washington conference. He said he was running for a second term as governor "and that's all." Left to right are Adlai, Jr., 21, Borden, 19, the governor, and John, 16. Stevenson was divorced in 1949.

Stevenson Is Nominated

(Continued From Page One)

Stevenson — numbering President Truman among them—had put in some heavy odds work in the interval. Their labors quickly showed the results.

AVERELL HARRIMAN, who had received 121 second ballot votes, announced he was withdrawing and roped his convention friends would vote for Stevenson. Gov. Paul A. Dever, Massachusetts favorite son, also made a plug from the podium for Stevenson.

Further, Dever had a word many

of the delegates had wanted to hear. He said he had talked with Stevenson and—

"He informs me that he will happily accept the nomination of this party for the highest temporal office in the world."

The convention tapped Stevenson to lead the Democrats against GOP nominee Dwight D. Eisenhower in the race of his insistence almost to the last that he did not want the nomination. Stevenson had asked the Illinois delegation not to put his name in the list of candidates.

STEVENSON SAW the conven-

tion action on television in the North side Chicago home of an executive aide some eight miles from the convention amphitheater.

Tonight in its wind up, the convention still was due to pick a vice presidential nominee—a detail to be attended to once Stevenson indicates whom he wants or a running mate—and hear acceptance speeches from its nominees.

President Truman was to present Stevenson to the convention. He flew here from Washington today.

Stevenson's aloof attitude made his nomination the closest thing to a genuine "draft" that a major political party has seen in many years.

tion action on television in the North side Chicago home of an executive aide some eight miles from the convention amphitheater.

Yet Stevenson's sentiment ran deep in the rank and file of the delegates from the start. The plain fact was that he stood out as a man around whom the party might unite—and the universal feeling was that it would take a united party to make it a real race with the GOP's Eisenhower-Nixon ticket.

In the end the movement for Stevenson overpowered the forces of other major contenders.

Helping it along, no one could say he now much—was the little thing to a genuine "draft" that a major political party has seen in many years.

vote for Stevenson. The White house said Truman had told Gavin to do so.

AND ON the first ballot today Gavin read to the convention a communication he said he had from Truman. "I hope you will see your way clear to cast a vote for Adlai Stevenson."

Muzzled cheers and boos greeted it.

Only two weeks ago Stevenson jokingly said, "I think I'd shoot myself" when reporters asked him what he would do if the Democrats drafted him as their candidate.

It was a tight battle in the afternoon stages of the voting. But once Harriman and Dever looked their shots it was all over—even though it took hours to make the decision official. And the past Sunday he told the Illinois delegation that he was in no way qualified to be President, and asked not to be put in nomination.

THE MOVEMENT for him went ahead nevertheless.

It gained important momentum the past Monday when Stevenson delivered a welcoming address to the convention. Hundreds of delegates poured into the aisles before and after his speech, clapping and cheering.

Even before he was drafted Stevenson was regarded as a political phenomenon.

Four years ago, although he was not well known even in Illinois, he ran for governor of the State. It was his first try for an elective

Car Industry Pioneer Dies at Sanitarium

YONKERS, N. Y., July 25 (AP)—

Frederick Wilhelm Hohensee, 82, a pioneer with the late William C. Durant in the auto industry, died

of the Durant and Dori carriage firm when the automobile first appeared on the American horizon. He came east with Durant in 1913.

Chevrolet and later his first Durant car. He also was an executive of General Motors corporation after it took over Chevrolet.

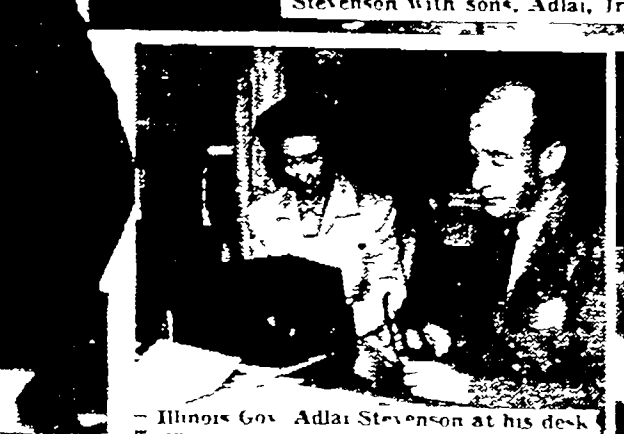
Born in Germany, Hohensee was brought to Canada as a child. He grew up in Flint, Mich.

He was general superintendent of the Durant and Dori carriage firm when the automobile first appeared on the American horizon. He came east with Durant in 1913.

STEVENSON: Springfield Springboard to White House?



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Improvement Rate Given For Mental Patients

HARRISBURG, July 25 (AP)—Pennsylvania is not discharging improved patients at the rate of 60 percent from its mental hospitals, Welfare Secretary William C. Brown said.

and return to normal life would have been deemed an impossible dream only a comparatively few years ago, he said in announcing department figures. With respect to medical office buildings at Norristown State hospital on Monday, Brown said.

States Platform



Chairman of the Democratic platform committee, Congressman John W. McCormack, of Boston, is pictured as he presented the 1952 draft of the party platform to delegates at the convention in Chicago.

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Calif. Seedless Grapes lb. 19c
Montco Fancy Grapefruit Juice 16 oz. can 21c
Montco Hot Finger Peppers qt. jar 29c
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Gov. Stevenson's Aristocratic Sister, May One Day Reign in the White House

By MARY MERRYFIELD.
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CHICAGO, July 25—To me one of the most thrilling figures in the Democratic convention is a woman who remains more or less in the background. She is a woman in her 50s—a tall, slim, aristocratic-looking woman with a pale face, blue eyes and heavy dark hair drawn back simply into a knot at the nape of her neck. She wears her evening clothes with the casual grace of someone who has been used to wearing formal clothes all her life—a woman who has a gift of humor to watch her famous brother's—an easy charm that causes eyes to follow her wherever she appears.

This woman looks like the subject of a family portrait such as always appears over the fireplace in one of those movies which features a fine old family with charming women and distinguished men—men who serve their country well. Her long neck, usually encircled with a short strand of exquisite pearls, the sloping shoulders and the poise of her head—have that same aristocratic air.

Actually, this midwestern woman is just that—a member of a family which founded towns, served their country in war and peace and built a tradition lasting through four generations.

For this somewhat mysterious woman of the proud bearing is Mrs. Ernest Ives, better known as "Effie," the nationally known brother, Illinois' governor Adlai Stevenson.

As you cannot escape knowing by this time—after all the national publicity on the subject—Adlai Stevenson was more reluctant to be a candidate for nomination to the presidency than anyone else since General Sherman who came out flatly and said, "If nominated I will not accept and if elected will refuse to serve."

STEVENSON DID not go that far but he did everything possible to discourage the 1230 delegates here from all of the 48 states plus the Canal Zone, Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

When he made a speech to open the convention, he had very carefully planned it so as not to set off one of those spontaneous "We Want Stevenson" chants. But as you know, the ovation he got certainly showed that the North and South in the Democratic party agree on one thing—a compromise candidate such as Adlai Stevenson.

His sister, Mrs. Ives, was right there to join the applause.

When we talked to U. S. senators, political reporters and some of the top writers who cover the State House at Springfield, they seemed to feel that a handwagon would start rolling to draft Stevenson on an early ballot.

At a big party given for Democratic women in the ballroom of the Palmer House and again at a breakfast at which Mrs. Ives was co-hostess—she was obviously one of the strongest rooters for Stevenson. I was talking to her when her brother Adlai appeared at the dinner, and as 1200 women rose to their feet applauding in sincere admiration—Mrs. Ives was the first to get to her feet and one of the last to stop clapping.

In talking to Mrs. Ives at the dinner I was struck with the thrilling idea that here was a woman who symbolizes four generations with a short strand of exquisite pearls, the sloping shoulders and the poise of her head—have that same aristocratic air.

EVEN THEN she assured me that Adlai would never refuse a real draft from the people at this convention. She believes in an inspired sort of way that Adlai must carry on the fine tradition of the Stevenson men—that he must follow in the footsteps of his grandfather, the first Adlai, who was congressman and a vice president under President Grover Cleveland.

She pointed out that all of Adlai's life has been spent in various government services but that everyone was surprised, when he finally got into politics, that he had that common touch which made him brother to all types of men.

"After all the Stevensons have been people of wealth, Adlai's great grandfather on his mother's side was Jesse Fell, one of the first and greatest citizens of Bloomington, Ill.," she explained.

"Great Grandfather Fell was a lawyer, realtor and horticulturist, and helped lay out the city of Bloomington and planted many of the beautiful trees which still shade its streets. He founded Illinois State Normal university and the city's first newspaper which became the famed and prosperous 'Pantagraph.' The paper is still staunchly Republican as was Great Grandfather Fell."



Mrs. Ernest Ives, sister of Governor Stevenson, with her husband.

less whenever he requires one. It is expected that Mrs. Ives will be the First Lady in the White House should her brother become President.

I asked Mrs. Ives about her brother's reluctance to be nominated as the Democratic candidate for President and she pook-pooked the fact that he was overwhelmed by the responsibility. She explained: "A man just doesn't jump into the presidency and Adlai realizes the grave responsibilities which go with the highest office in our land." However, she adds in the next breath, "He would make a magnificent President."

It is obvious that this tall, state woman fired with the tradition with the feeling that her brother of a great midwestern family—must carry on in the tradition of which has believed in public service and answer the call to the White House. Adlai to be President and believes Mrs. Ives is her brother's host—he will be.

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